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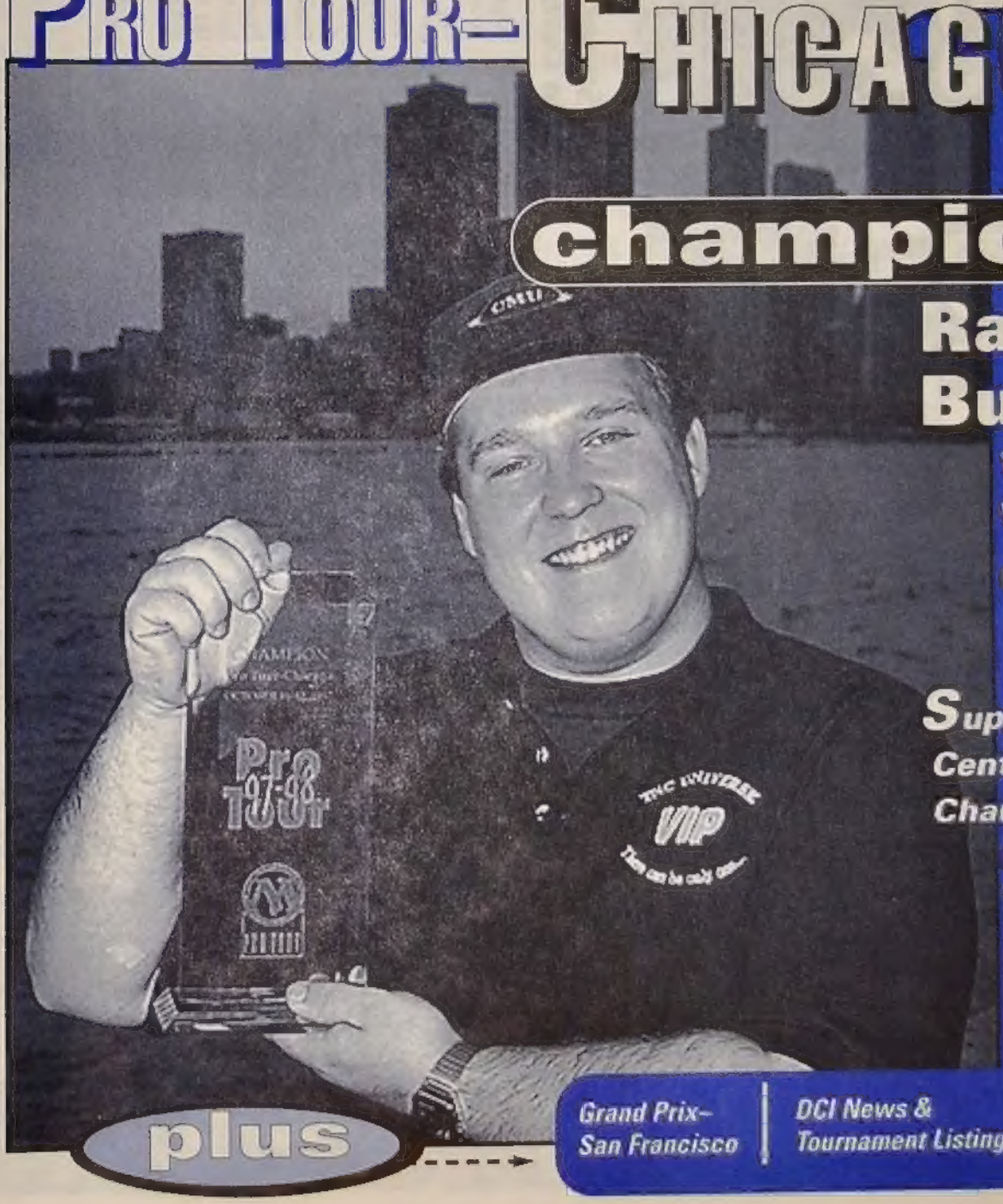

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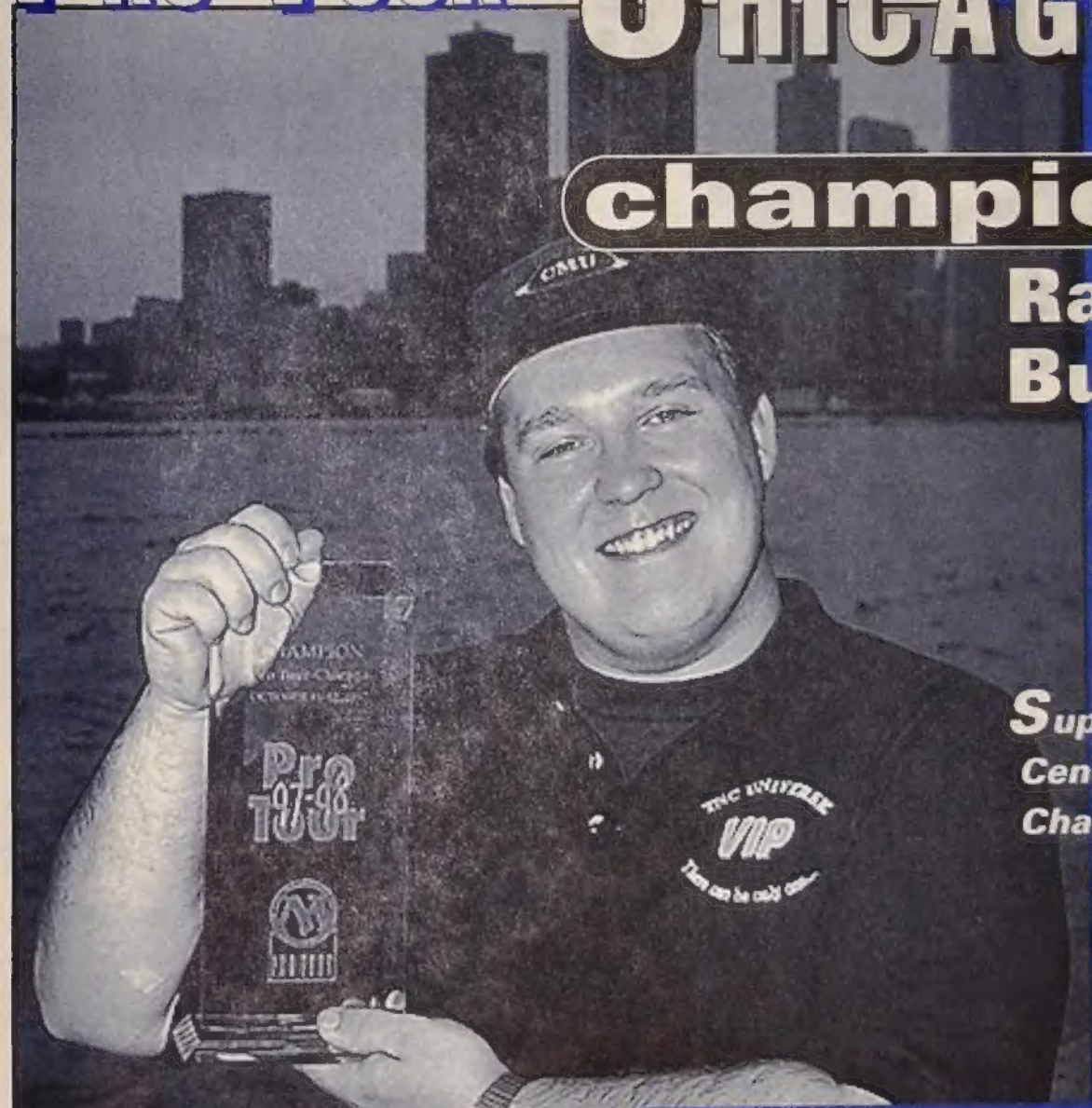

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Sweet Home Chicago

First-Class Competition in the Second City

There wasn't much for a bluesman to sing about when **Magic: The Gathering** hit Chicago this fall. From October 10–12, Chicago's Navy Pier enjoyed perfect weather, breathtaking views of both the Windy City and Lake Michigan, and the largest field of competitors the Pro Tour has ever seen. Throw in the relatively new and untested Extended format with over $150,000 in prize money at stake, the kickoff of the new Junior Super Series, and countless ancillary events, and you have the makings of a truly memorable weekend.

Tour insiders; Råde and Virginia's Kyle Rose both used white weenies, Lightning Bolt, and Armageddon to good effect. Austiknight Adrian Sayers and Randy Buehler of Pittsburgh added a touch of red to traditional Necro while Tongo Nation's Justin Schneider and David Mills played almost identical blue-red Frenetic Efreet decks and Seattle's Max Suver played a blue-red creature removal/denial deck.

Sunday saw the Top 8 cycle through all their matches in a remarkably short time, with

An Intrigued Crowd

More than 324 players qualified for Pro Tour–Chicago from a wide range of feeder tournaments, and the Extended card pool (which includes *The Dark* through *Tempest* sets) encouraged diversity among the deck types. Not all the players were so encouraged, however, as Necro, Prison, and Counterpost variants of all shapes and sizes came out to play. New Jersey semifinalist John Finkel declared it "easy" to predict what deck types he would have to face, because "there are a lot of things that *everybody* is playing with." Still, the sheer number of competitors and available cards had an impact on the metagame. As quarterfinalist Olle Råde from Sweden pointed out. "There are usually three or four deck types [to prepare for] instead of sixteen."

The wide and deep card pool appealed to players like Virginia's David Mills, who declared, "The more sets in a Constructed event, the better," but it also proved to be a major stumbling block for some of the Pro Tour's most familiar names. Player of the Year Paul McCabe wound up dead last after losing four straight matches and dropping out on Day 1; Pro Tour perennials Mark Chalice, Jeff Donais, and Jason Zila all finished higher than 200; and although all of the World Championship's Top 8 competed in Chicago, only two finished in the money and none made it into the Top 16.

Those that did make it to the Top 8 did so by turbocharging familiar and established deck themes with the most powerful cards available outside of Classic (Type I). Nineteen-year-old Finkel's Prison variant with Gaea's Blessing and Aura of Silence drew ecstatic praise from Pro

similar deck types facing and eliminating each other in the quarterfinals. Buehler got the better of Sayers 3–2 in a battle of the Necrodecks, and Mills's Efreets were similarly more frenetic than Schneider's; Finkel's creatureless Winter Orb recipe proved too rich for Råde, who fell 3–1, and Suver's big blue machine crushed Rose's Erhnageddon 3–0.

Buoyed by some phenomenal coin tosses and his Dwarven Miner's ability to eat dual lands, Mills was able to get his Efreets past Finkel's defenses in the semis for a fast 3–0 victory. Buehler defeated Suver 3–1, primarily through the judicious application of Demonic Consultation to set up a Lake of the Dead–Drain Life combo for the win.

The finals were tight and solid until the very last moments of Game 4. Down two games to one, David Mills was so focused on fending off Buehler's weenie horde with his Wildfire Emissary that he failed to either make use of the Lightning Bolt he had in his hand, or to anticipate the game-ending Lake Drain Buehler had in store for him. When Buehler Consulted for and played the elements of his winning combo, he was as surprised as Mills when it resolved. The oldest rookie in a field of veteran youngsters came away with the win.

The Pro Tour is bound for Europe again as Mainz, Germany, hosts the next event on December 5–7, 1997.

—Scott McGough

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Something Old, Something New...

Welcome to the new *Duelist Sideboard!* Sorry for the late greeting, but with all the events we had to cover in our last issue, we had no room for an editorial!

As you've no doubt noticed, the *Sideboard* has gone through some changes. I'll try to explain the new format and let you know what's in store as the metamorphosis continues.

Something Old: What hasn't changed is our commitment to covering the **Magic: The Gathering** organized-play scene. This magazine remains your best source of information about who's who and what's what on the Pro Tour circuit. We'll continue to provide event recaps, competitor profiles, and top decklists. This month, we bring you top-notch coverage of Pro Tour–Chicago, including the Super Series Central Division Championship.

Something New: First, the obvious. The *Duelist Sideboard* is no longer printed as a glossy magazine; instead, we've gone to a newspaper-style format. I'm excited about our new look and hope it allows us to become the "sports section" of **Magic**. Special thanks go to our graphic designer, Darren Newby, who is responsible for this issue's sharp new layout. Take a bow, Darren!

In addition to our new look, we're unveiling a new schedule. Beginning with the issue you're holding in your hands, the *Sideboard* will be published monthly. This allows us to cover more events in more depth than we were previously able. For instance, check out the Canadian coverage on page five: you'll find a recap of Grand Prix–Toronto, a feature on Pro Tour Player of the Year Paul McCabe, and a story on the "Can-Am Showdown."

Finally, alert readers will no doubt notice an unfamiliar name at the bottom of this editorial. After eighteen months of toiling in Wizards of the Coast's Organized Play division (most prominently as marketing coordinator for the Arena league), I have taken over the editorial responsibilities for the *Duelist Sideboard* beginning with this issue. Terry Mella, editor of the *Sideboard* since its inception in July of 1996, is now devoting his time completely to *The Duelist*. To handle *The Duelist's* transition to a monthly publication, Terry takes with him former *Sideboard* Associate Editor Scott McGough (and if you've met *Duelist* Editor-in-Chief Mark Rosewater, you'll understand why their jobs are full-time). I thank both of these gentlemen for their advice over the past several months, as well as their assistance yet to come as I learn the tricks of the trade. I am particularly indebted to Terry for his vision throughout his tenure on the *Sideboard*—not to mention his patient guidance during my "rookie issue". Thanks, Terry—I owe you one (or several).

Something Borrowed: In the spirit of other great sports periodicals, the next issue of the *Sideboard* will debut a new section of regional information. No longer will readers be forced to plow through long lists of DCI tournaments or Arena league stores. Instead, you'll be able to see all the organized-play activities in your region at a single glance. Future issues will also feature regional news: who's winning in your area, what deck types are dominating, even where the top players are getting together to practice.

Something Blue: Okay, this one's easy. We tried out a few different shades for our new two-color look, and blue won big. We may be experimenting with different colors over the next few issues, but for now, it's blue.

I hope you enjoy the new *Duelist Sideboard*. It's my goal to make this the best magazine it can be. If there's anything you think we're missing, please drop me a message at <skeeve@wizards.com>.

—Andy Collins, Editor

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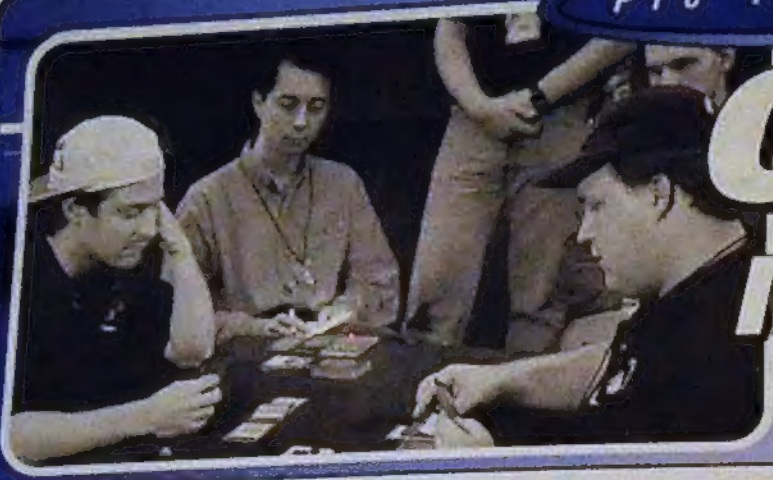


Pro Tour–Chicago

Championship Match Recap

and information

BUEHLER VS. MILLS

FINAL MATCH

Quantum Leap

Champion
Randy
Buehler

Earning a bachelor's degree in physics from Vanderbilt and a master's degree in philosophy from the University of Minnesota would be enough for most people, but not twenty-six-year-old Pro Tour–Chicago Champion Randy Buehler. "Soon I'll be working on a Ph.D. in the history and philosophy of quantum mechanics. I'm well aware of the laws of probability, especially as they apply to Frenetic Efreets!"

Chicago marked Randy's first appearance in a Pro Tour event, and he didn't plan to take his opportunity for granted. Buehler, a student at Pitt, spent hundreds of hours playtesting his black-green-white Necrodeck with the "Mad Genius of **Magic**" Erik Lauer. "Erik deserves 80 percent of the credit for building the deck. Dan Silberman and Mike Turian from the CMU team also helped out tremendously." Four Demonic Consultations ensured that Randy's opponent would face Necropotence in every game. "It was like having eight Necros. I got it almost every time."

Randy squeaked into the Final 8 with a 10–3 record by defeating David Bachmann in the final match of Day 2. Buehler defeated quarterfinalist Adrian Sayers (who played the only other Necrodeck in the Final 8) three games to two and semifinalist Max Suver 3–1 on his way to a showdown with finalist David Mills. After finishing off Mills three games to one, Buehler admitted, "It was truly shocking. I can't believe I won the whole thing!"

—Jack Lewis Stanton

Game 1 of the final match at Pro Tour–Chicago started quickly, as a second-turn Hymn to Tourach by Randy Buehler was countered by a Force of Will from opponent David Mills (who discarded Desertion to cast the spell). Mills couldn't stop Buehler's third-turn Necropotence, however, which quickly started churning through Buehler's deck.

Mills summoned a third-turn Frenetic Efreet—a creature that had brought Mills's previous opponents no end of grief due to his uncanny luck in coin flips. Despite gaining three cards from Necropotence on his fourth turn, Buehler played nothing. On his second turn, Mills attacked with the Efreet, which successfully phased out when Buehler threw Firestorm at it. Mills summoned up another Frenetic Efreet once the dust had settled.

On his fifth turn, Buehler brought out Necropotence again, this time for five cards. Unfortunately, the Necropotence continued to fetch too many lands, while neglecting to provide a much-needed Drain Life. Mills's next attack brought Buehler down to 4 life. Facing imminent defeat, Buehler dropped down to 1 life, gaining three cards from Necropotence in a vain search for his last Firestorm. Unfortunately the quest failed, and Mills attacked the next turn to win the first game. Total life sacrificed to the Necro—15. Total game time—7 minutes. **Match Score: Buehler 0, Mills 1.**

Game 2 began much like the first with Buehler playing a second-turn Hymn to Tourach and a third-turn Necropotence. This time, the cards were coming up for Buehler. His fourth-turn Hymn was almost countered by Mills, but a handy Pyroblast allowed the Hymn to get through, costing Mills a Lightning Bolt and Tithe. On his fifth turn, Buehler played yet another Hymn and Mills lost a Fireball, though he did manage to Lightning Bolt Buehler in response.

At this point, Buehler had a full seven-card hand and Mills had no cards to play. Seeking a turnaround in the game, Mills drew and played a Frenetic Efreet, only to see it targeted by Terror on his next turn. The seventh, eighth, and ninth turns saw Buehler cast Drain Life for 7, 7, and 8 damage, respectively, to end the game and even the match. **Match Score: Buehler 1, Mills 1.**

Putting the rally cap on, Mills elected to have Buehler play first in Game 3, a move found curious by the crowd watching on the big screen. The third time proved the charm as Buehler's second-turn Hymn to Tourach finally succeeded, netting a Blue Elemental Blast and Fireball. Mills summoned a Dwarven Miner on his second turn, only to see it targeted by Terror on Buehler's next turn.

Buehler's Necropotence came out on his fourth turn and on his fifth, he cast Demonic Consultation for a Hymn to Tourach. In the process, he lost two Drain Lifes, leaving him with one in his deck and one in hand. During his sixth turn, Buehler Drained David for 6 damage in order to keep the Necro going. A Frenetic Efreet summoned by Mills on the fourth turn met his match after being targeted by Pyroblast during the attack phase on Mills's sixth turn.

Buehler offense appeared in the form of three "pump Knights" summoned during his seventh and eighth turns. On his ninth turn, Buehler attempted a Demonic Consultation for his one remaining Drain Life. In another surprising move by Mills, he countered the Consultation, rather than letting Buehler churn through his library (which at this point held fewer than fifteen cards). On his tenth turn, Mills cast Impulse in search of an Earthquake to take care of the "pump Knight" horde. Coming up empty, he conceded the third game. **Match Score: Buehler 2, Mills 1.**

Needing the win, Mills chose to play first during Game 4. In an unusual situation, a creature standoff of sorts appeared over the second through fourth turns; Mills summoned a Dwarven Miner, Frenetic Efreet, and Wildfire Emissary and Buehler brought out four "pump Knights." Facing repeated attacks from the flying Efreet, and looking at a hand full of non–basic land (ripe targets for the Dwarven Miner), Buehler decided he had nothing to lose. Despite the guaranteed loss of one Knight each turn to Wildfire Emissary, Buehler started attacking with all the Knights beginning on his sixth turn.

By Buehler's eighth turn, Mills was down to only 6 life. When attacked by Buehler's two remaining Knights, Mills decided to let one through rather than Bolting it. After the attack phase, Buehler went for broke. Sacrificing one of his two swamps in play to bring out his Lake of the Dead, and the other swamp to add six black mana to his mana pool, he cast a 4-point Drain Life on Mills. Ironically, luck was with Buehler, as Mills had no Counterspells in hand. The Drain Life went through, and Buehler became the winner of Chicago's first **Magic: The Gathering** Pro Tour event. **Final Match Score: Buehler 3, Mills 1.**

—Jack Lewis Stan-

Close But No Cigar

Finalist
David
Mills

For twenty-four-year-old David Mills of Charlottesville, Virginia, coming in second place at the Pro Tour is starting to become a tradition. Only ten months after his fateful encounter with Tommi Hovi in the finals of Pro Tour–Los Angeles, Chicago found Mills again poised to become Pro Tour Champion.

After compiling an impressive 10–2–1 record in the Swiss rounds, Mills moved into the finals with relative ease despite facing the two players who had handed him his two previous losses. After defeating close friend and former Tongo Nation teammate, Justin Schneider, three games to one in the quarterfinals, Mills swept Jon Finkel 3–0 to advance to the finals against Buehler.

Unfortunately, Mills once more had to settle for second place. "I messed up," explained Mills bluntly. Only the most seasoned competitors, however, would be very critical of Mills's error, which allowed Buehler to clinch the series 3–1. "It was definitely my fault...I was only thinking about red sources of direct damage, and I had a [Hydro] blast in hand to stop those, so I thought I was safe," commented Mills.

Mills, who holds a B.A. from the University of Virginia, is currently writing a scientific work on consciously directed design theory. "I'm going to show that evolution on a macroscopic scale is impossible, and prove the presence of a conscious direction in the universe," he explained. Considering his past performance, predicting that Mills will be a major force in future Pro Tour event is a difficult statement to refute.

—Eric Tam

BUEHLER Deck Analysis

Due to card set rotations, Necrodecks have lost much of their popularity in Standard tournaments. However, Buehler proved that they're still a major threat in the Extended format. His deck began with the same core cards as most black-red Necrodecks: Necropotence, Hymn to Tourach, Drain Life, Lake of the Dead, assorted Knights, Lightning Bolts, and Incinerates.

Buehler departed from the usual by adding Firestorms and Disenchants and leaving out Nevinyrral's Disk and Contagion. He credited most of his "Firestorm Necro" deck design to "the Mad Genius of **Magic**," Eric Lauer. He raved over the effectiveness of Firestorm. "When you've got Necro in play and you play Firestorm, it's a combination Channel-Fireball one-way Wrath of God, and you get to Jalum Tome four or five times. It's just a devastating combo." He also said that his four Demonic Consultations were key to the deck's success. "What do I want? Go get it. I WILL get Necro into play."

—Beth Moursund

Buehler's Deck (60 cards)

2 Bad River	4 Scrubland
4 Badlands	8 Swamp
4 Demonic Consultation	Sideboard
3 Disenchant	2 Circle of Protection: Black
4 Drain Life	1 Disenchant
2 Firestorm	1 Firestorm
3 Gemstone Mine	3 Honorable Passage
4 Hymn to Tourach	2 Mind Warp
1 Ihsan's Shade	3 Pyroblast
2 Incinerate	3 Terror
4 Knight of Stromgald	
3 Lake of the Dead	
4 Lightning Bolt	
4 Necropotence	
4 Order of the Ebon Hand	

MILLS Deck Analysis

Mills played a blue-red-white deck designed by Mike Long and Brian Schneider. The deck combined permission, burn, hard-to-kill creatures, and creature-making lands. Impulse and Tithe gave some deck control; Serrated Arrows, Disenchant, and Swords to Plowshares, along with direct damage and Control Magic, took care of opposing threats. Sideboarded Dwarven Miners were often brutally effective in Extended's special land-heavy environment. Most often, he won his duels with Frenetic Efreet.

In a slight variation from the basic deck, Mills replaced two Force of Wills with a Desertion and a Disrupt. "[Disrupt] is one of those spells that if you use it successfully it just breaks their backs. And Desertion's the same way."

—Beth Moursund

Mills's Deck (60 cards)

2 Control Magic	1 Suq'Ata Firewalker
4 Counterspell	1 Swords to Plowshares
1 Desertion	4 Tithe
2 Disenchant	4 Tundra
1 Disrupt	4 Volcanic Island
1 Earthquake	2 Wildfire Emissary
2 Fireball	
2 Flood Plains	Sideboard
2 Force of Will	3 Blue Elemental Blast
4 Frenetic Efreet	1 Disenchant
4 Impulse	4 Dwarven Miner
2 Island	2 Gerrard's Wisdom
3 Kjeldoran Outpost	2 Mana Web
4 Lightning Bolt	3 Nevinyrral's Disk
4 Mishra's Factory	
1 Plains	
4 Plateau	
1 Serrated Arrows	

Pro Tour–Chicago

TOP 64

top sixty-four

Pro Tour–Chicago Player Profiles

The Semifinalists

Jon Finkel

Jon Finkel came to Chicago with some strong opinions about the new Extended format. "I really didn't like the format," he declared flatly. "There were so few viable deck types that only the strongest themes could hope to stick to their game plans." The metagame, therefore, was far more limited than the large card pool seemed to dictate.

Finkel carried his experience from the 1997 Worlds with him to Chicago, fielding a variant of that competition's Extended deck that drew literal gasps of admiration from the assembled commentators. Unfortunately, he included no basic lands in his deck, and his semifinalist opponent David Mills capitalized on that fact. Between using Dwarven Miner's special ability to eat all of Finkel's land and a team of Frenetic Efreets that coin-flipped their way past everything Finkel threw at them, Mills swept Finkel 3–0.

—Scott McGough

Max Suver

Despite being a familiar face on the Pro Tour, Chicago marked Max Suver's first appearance in the Top 8 since the very first Pro Tour event in New York, where he placed fourth in the Junior division. In his hometown of Seattle, however, Suver is recognized as a skilled veteran.

Despite being only seventeen years old, Suver is already attending North Seattle Community College, thanks to a program that lets him get high school credit in addition to college credit for the same classes. "After two years of college, I'll have enough to finish high school," he said.

Unlike most top players, Suver doesn't belong to a team, preferring to playtest with his father and younger sister (both former Pro Tour competitors themselves), and sometimes with other players from the Wizards of the Coast Game Center in Seattle. For the Chicago finals, he wore a Canadian team shirt. "I was just hanging out with Canadians and they made me wear the shirt," he chuckled. He has no particular plans to join a team, but isn't opposed to the idea, either, commenting, "I'm open-minded on that sort of thing."

—Beth Moursund

FINKEL Deck Analysis

Finkel's multicolored deck resembled a traditional monowhite Prison deck, using Winter Orb and Icy Manipulator, along with Diamonds, to set up a lock. Opponents usually conceded; if not, Mishra's Factories delivered the kill. Armageddon, Swords to Plowshares, and Wrath of God kept the table fairly clean. Instead of the more common Disenchants, Finkel used Aura of Silence, which combines very well with Winter Orb. Gerrard's Wisdom helped the deck survive until it got its lock. Finkel took advantage of dual-lands to expand the deck to four colors, adding Counterspells and Pyroclasm for more control and Sylvan Library and Gaea's Blessing for card selection. Tithe fetched needed colors and thinned the deck.

In his sideboard, Finkel added another surprise: six large creatures. "A lot of times decks like this lose Games 2 and 3. They'll win Game 1 because the opponent has lots of useless creature-kill in the deck, and then they take it out and bring in artifact-kill. You bring in some creatures, and sometimes they're not ready for them."

—Beth Moursund

Finkel's Deck (60 cards)

- 3 Armageddon
- 3 Aura of Silence
- 4 Counterspell
- 1 Flood Plain
- 2 Gaea's Blessing
- 2 Gerrard's Wisdom
- 4 Icy Manipulator
- 4 Marble Diamond
- 4 Mishra's Factory
- 1 Pyroclasm
- 3 Serrated Arrows
- 3 Sky Diamond
- 2 Swords to Plowshares
- 2 Sylvan Library
- 2 Plateau
- 3 Savannah
- 4 Tithe
- 4 Tundra
- 2 Undiscovered Paradise
- 1 Volcanic Island
- 3 Winter Orb
- 3 Wrath of God

Sideboard

- 1 Aura of Silence
- 1 Disenchant
- 3 Erhnam Djinn
- 1 Gaea's Blessing
- 2 Gerrard's Wisdom
- 1 Hurkul's Recall
- 2 Pyroblast
- 1 Red Elementa Blast
- 3 Wildfire Emissary

SUVER Deck Analysis

In contrast to the multicolored medleys seen so often in the Extended format, Suver ran a nearly monoblue deck, with just a splash of red for Earthquake. His strategy combined heavy permission with an Icy Manipulator/Winter Orb lock, big blue creatures with flying, and Phyrexian War Beasts. "The goal of the deck is to use Winter Orb to lock your opponent or put out a big creature they can't deal with, or both, depending on who you're playing against," he said. .

Suver adapted the design from the Standard deck used by Tim Kariel to win the Northwest Regionals. Soldevi Excavations were a key part of the deck, providing extra mana under the Orb and deck control when not Orb-locked. "A Counterpost can't beat you if you have Excavations," Suver explained, "because you're outdrawing [your opponent] almost two to one."

—Beth Moursund

Suver's Deck (60 cards)

- 2 Air Elemental
- 3 Arcane Denial
- 4 Counterspell
- 2 Earthquake
- 3 Flood Plain
- 4 Force of Will
- 2 Icy Manipulator
- 8 Island
- 2 Man-o'-War
- 3 Phyrexian War Beast
- 4 Quicksand
- 4 Sky Diamond
- 4 Soldevi Excavation
- 3 Suq'Ata Firewalker
- 4 Volcanic Island
- 4 Waterspout Djinn
- 4 Winter Orb

Sideboard

- 1 Blue Elemental Blast
- 3 Control Magic
- 2 Hurkul's Recall
- 3 Hydroblast
- 1 Mana Short
- 2 Pyroblast
- 2 Sand Golem
- 1 Tormod's Crypt

The Quarterfinalists

Adrian Sayers

While Randy Buehler surprised everyone by winning his first Pro Tour event, quarterfinalist Adrian Sayers was almost as much a long shot. Chicago was the second Pro Tour event for this twenty-year-old math major; he played in Dallas last year, but finished an undistinguished 136th place.

Though Sayers plays some sports and computer games, he is not an avid strategy gamer. As with many **Magic** players, he was introduced to the game by friends at school. He has been playing **Magic** since the *Fallen Empires* expansion, but said that he didn't start playing competitively until the Pro Tour–Dallas Qualifiers.

Sayers is a member of the Austiknights team, most of whom attend the University of Texas in Austin. They usually play at least twice a week and design decks together. Sayers credits much of his success to the help of his teammates, five of whom (Bill Macey, Chris Herdman, Brian Hubble, Paul Gallagher, and Brian Ogilbee) made it to Chicago. "I feel like our team did a good job of predicting what kind of decks would be here," Sayers said.

—Beth Moursund

Kyle Rose

Kyle Rose, a seventeen-year-old high school student from Chester, Virginia, felt the best strategy for Chicago would be one of familiarity. "I playtested a lot and couldn't find a dominant deck, so I decided to play a deck that I felt comfortable with."

Rose borrowed the deck concept from his friend, Alex Tyler, and changed the cards to suit his playing style. Deck in hand, he set about getting in as much practice as possible before the actual event. "I had great area support, spending much of my time playing at the local store Time Capsule, and playing with the Tongo Nation players, namely Mike Long."

All the practice Rose put in paid off over the course of the first two days of competition as he managed a 10–3 record, placing him in the sixth seed for Sunday's competition. "I had some great match-ups, beating every Necrodeck I faced." His quarterfinal opponent, Max Suver, however, proved to be no pushover, and Rose found himself out in three straight games. "I won most of my games with the Outpost. His Winter Orbs were just too strong against me. Other than that, I feel great."

—Jack Lewis Stanton

Justin Schneider

Sixteen-year-old Justin Schneider's Pro Tour rap sheet has been one of consistency since the advent of the Tour. With a Top 32 finish at his first Master-division event in New York this year, and three Top 16 finishes in the Junior ranks (including his win in Dallas last year), it was no surprise to see "Wonder-boy" qualify for Sunday's Top 8 in Chicago.

Despite receiving his deck for the first time the night before the tournament and only playtesting three games, Justin started off 9-0. "The strong start helped. I hadn't played seriously for the last two months, so it got me ready to play." Playing a blue-red-white deck designed by his brother Brian, he finished with a 10–3 record over the first two days.

Ironically, Sunday's quarterfinal match pitted him against fellow playtester David Mills. "Our decks were almost card-for-card identical." Having faced each other on Friday and Saturday, both players knew the contest would come down to mistakes, or whomever drew their power cards first. In the end, Mills prevailed 3–2. "In the last game, the Serrated Arrows were key for Mills. That was pretty much it," Justin said.

—Jack Lewis Stanton

Olle Råde

The eighteen-year-old juggernaut, Olle Råde, rolls on. With his quarterfinal appearance in Chicago, Råde chalked up his record-setting fourth Top 8 appearance on the Pro Tour. Throw in the fact that he was the first Duelist Invitational Champion, and among the Top 32 at the 1997 World Championships, and you'll get an idea of just how strong and consistent a competitor he is.

Råde was unable maintain the Pro Tour tradition of a foreign player invading the host country to win the tournament, falling 3–1 in the quarters to Jon Finkel....but to be fair, he was the only non-U.S. player in the Top 8. Even if he didn't conquer Chicago, his performance at the only two major tournaments to feature the Extended format (Pro Tour–Chicago and the 1997 Worlds) shows that he will remain a force to be reckoned with.

—Scott McGough

Individual Results (Top 64)

Place	Earnings	Name	Hometown	Age
1	$25,000	Randy Buehler	Pittsburgh, PA	25
2	$15,000	David Mills	Charlottesville, VA	24
3	$10,000	Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	19
4	$8,000	Max Suver	Seattle, WA	17
5	$6,500	Adrian Sayers	Austin, TX	20
6	$5,500	Justin Schneider	Baltimore, MD	16
7	$4,800	Kyle Rose	Chester, VA	17
8	$4,300	Olle Råde	Göteborg, Sweden	18
9	$4,000	Mike Long	Centreville, VA	22
10	$3,750	Thomas Guevin	Nashua, NH	24
11	$3,500	John Yoo	Buena Park, CA	23
12	$3,310	André Konstanczak	Sachsenwerk, Germany	22
13	$3,110	Ondrej Baudys	Mlada, Czech Rep	25
14	$2,920	Pierre Malherbaud	Montreal, QC	22
15	$2,750	Noah Boeken	Amsterdam, Netherlands	18
16	$2,590	Matt Place	Kansas City, MO	21
17	$2,440	Svend Spare Geertsen	Copenhagen, Denmark	17
18	$2,300	David Bachmann	Linden, NJ	17
19	$2,170	Trevor Blackwell	Marina, CA	18
20	$2,050	Keith Kerling	New York, NY	19
21	$1,940	Peter Radonjic	New Westminster, BC	21
22	$1,840	Mikael Magnusson	Tyresö, Sweden	28
23	$1,750	Tony Tsai	Ithaca, NY	20
24	$1,660	Brian Fuller	Burnaby, BC	18
25	$1,580	Eric Phillipps	Lincroft, NJ	18
26	$1,500	Thomas Refsdal	Oslo, Norway	22
27	$1,430	Michael Tomas	Pittsburgh, PA	18
28	$1,360	Justin Gary	North Miami Beach, FL	17
29	$1,290	Mark LaPine	Merrimack, NH	15
30	$1,230	Andy Nosbisch	Chicago, IL	24
31	$1,170	Gary Krakower	Toronto, ON	30
32	$1,110	Ray de Guzman	Chicago, IL	24
33	$1,060	Toshiki Tsukamoto	Tokyo, Japan	31
34	$1,010	Anthony Goh Rashett	Hertfordshire, UK	17
35	$960	Shannon Hill	Lubbock, TX	29
36	$920	Ryan Rae	Muncie, IN	22
37	$880	David Price	Ithaca, NY	22
38	$840	Tim Kariel	Honolulu, HI	20
39	$810	Ron Rivera	Las Vegas, NV	17
40	$780	Brett Foster	Columbus, OH	22
41	$750	Tommi Hovi	Kaarina, Finland	17
42	$720	John Chiswick	Summit, NJ	25
43	$690	Bill Macey	Austin, TX	23
44	$660	Bob Wagner	Chicago, IL	44
45	$630	Brendan Herzog	Portland, OR	19
46	$610	Eric Pliss	Ann Arbor, MI	36
47	$590	Alessandro Grassi	Rome, Italy	25
48	$570	Chris Herdman	Austin, TX	17
49	$550	Ben Farkas	Latham, NY	16
50	$530	Mattias Jorstedt	Göteborg, Sweden	21
51	$510	Dennis Bentley	Rochester, NY	25
52	$490	Mike Wasielchen	Atlanta, GA	17
53	$480	Peter Rigley	Bethesda, MD	14
54	$470	Eric Tam	Toronto, ON	20
55	$460	Matt Hardwick	Boston, MA	23
56	$450	Oliver Schneider	London, UK	23
57	$440	Michael Debard	Paris, France	26
58	$430	Jeroen Rhyden	Utrecht, Netherlands	23
59	$421	John Peacock	Issaquah, WA	30
60	$420	Jacob Chew	Plano, TX	20
61	$411	Elijah Pollock	Tualatin, OR	17
62	$410	Mark Justice	Seattle, WA	26
63	$401	David Linder	Nyköping, Sweden	17
64	$400	Adam Lemke	Jamesville, NY	16

Super Series
They're going to DISNEY WORLD

The inaugural Junior Divisional Championship found 156 players aged eighteen and under competing in Chicago to be among the first representatives to next summer's Super Series Championship, to be held at *Disney's Wide World of Sports* complex in Orlando. Day 1 of the Central Division Championship, which was open to all **Magic** players eighteen and under, had nearly a hundred competitors, approximately two-thirds of whom advanced to Day 2. These players were joined by more than fifty additional juniors on Day 2 who had qualified to participate with their performances in the Junior Challenges held over the past few months. At the end of the Swiss-style competition on Sunday, October 12, sixteen players (eight from each age division: 15-and-under, and 16–18) made the grade. Each lucky winner received airfare and accommodations for two to next summer's Super Series Championship.

Many of the top finishers in the 16–18-year-old division had previously competed in the Pro Tour, but saw the new Super Series as an opportunity to compete against players their own age. Two of the veterans, Pennsylvania's Geoffrey Anders and Jeremy Baca of Dallas, competed on Friday in Pro Tour–Chicago but missed the cut (finishing 72nd and 83rd, respectively). Top finisher Steve Hirsch of Wantagh, New York, another veteran who finished outside of the Top 64 after the first day of Pro Tour competition, figured he had "nothing to lose" by entering the Divisional Championship. Perhaps for this very reason, the competition among these players was fierce.

"The competition level here was tougher than I expected," said Wisconsin's Matt Severa, who competed in Pro Tour–New York earlier this year. Baca, however, stated unequivocally that "there's no comparison" between the Super Series and the Pro Tour. "Almost every deck I saw here was a variation of something on the Internet," he said. Missouri's Ian Slattery cited a lack of playtesting as a common weakness among the decks he faced: "The decks that do well are usually the ones where the players put that something extra into them," said Slattery.

Jonathan Gary, of North Miami Beach, Florida, celebrated his fourteenth birthday one day early by placing first among all players fifteen and under. The younger brother of reigning U.S. National Champion Justin Gary, Jonathan boldly stated that "it's not too long" before he'll be competing alongside his elders in the Pro Tour. Others weren't quite as confident going into Sunday's competition. "I didn't really expect to get this far," said Jason Means, "but I finished [Day 2] at 5–1." Ohio's Chad Drager, another Top 8 finisher, admitted he was "looking forward to the money" he would receive by participating in the Super Series Championship. Indeed, each of these players will receive scholarship funds in the amount of at least $1,000 simply by showing up for Day 2 of the Super Series Championship.

The Western and Eastern Division Championships will coincide with the remaining U.S. Pro Tour events (Los Angeles and New York). Each of these Divisional Championships will qualify an additional sixteen players for Day 2 of the Super Series Championship in Orlando. Scholarships totaling $250,000 will be divided among all players who reach Day 2 of this event.

—Andy Collins

Junior Super Series Deck Analyses

15-and-Under Age Group

Jonathan Gary (First Place)

Jonathan Gary used a monoblack "Buried Alive" deck to go undefeated in the 15-and-under age group. His deck featured seven self-returning creatures: the obligatory four Ashen Ghouls, plus two Nether Shadows and a Krovikan Horror. A pair of Hidden Horrors gave some fast muscle while hopefully discarding a self-returner. He also included two Necromancies to retrieve other creatures or to scavenge his opponent's graveyard. Gary used fewer Knights (six, including three Fallen Askaris) than most monoblack Buried Alive decks. The extra creature space was filled with Skulking Ghosts and Necratogs. Contagion and Nekrataals provided plenty of creature removal, *Bad Moons made the weenie creatures stronger, and Dark Rituals gave the deck extra* speed.

Two top finishers in the 16-to-18 age group also played Buried Alive decks: Ian Slattery (fifth place) added Incinerates, Firestorms, and Swords to Plowshares to the basic core, while Jeremy Baca (sixth place) used Incinerates, Earthquakes, and Choking Sands.

Gary's Deck (64 cards)

4	Ashen Ghoul	2	Necromancy
3	Bad Moon	4	Nekrataal
2	Black Knight	1	Nevinyrral's Disk
4	Buried Alive	1	Quicksand
2	Contagion	2	Skulking Ghost
3	Dark Ritual	19	Swamp
2	Drain Life	1	Vampiric Tutor
2	Ebon Stronghold		Sideboard
3	Fallen Askari	1	Bubble Matrix
2	Hidden Horror	1	Choking Sands
2	Nether Shadow	2	Dirtwater Wraith
1	Kaervek's Spite	2	Dystopia
1	Knight of Stromgald	4	Gloom
1	Krovikan Horror	1	Nevinyrral's Disk
2	Necratog	2	Reign of Terror
		2	Terror

Justin Hadlock (Second Place)

Justin Hadlock played a four-color black deck (though his fourth color, white, appeared only in the sideboard). The black core consisted of twelve assorted Knights and a half-dozen other creatures, plus two Nekrataals and three Contagions. One lonely Bad Moon gave a boost if it came out. Hadlock's blue and red choices were traditional: Man-o'-Wars, Arcane Denials, and Incinerates. He also included three Winter Orbs to gain full advantage from the low casting costs of most of his deck.

Two other finalists also played four-color black decks. Ron Schubert (sixth place) used fewer creatures and included Swords to Plowshares and Disenchants in the main deck, while Ted Kaplun (seventh place in the 16-to-18 age group) added Earthquake and one big surprise: three Ophidians.

Hadlock's Deck (60 cards)

4	Arcane Denial	2	Nekrataal
1	Bad Moon	2	Shadow Guildmage
4	Black Knight	1	Sulfurous Springs
2	City of Brass	10	Swamp
3	Contagion	2	Underground River
2	Erg Raiders	3	Undiscovered Paradise
4	Fallen Askari	3	Winter Orb
2	Gemstone Mine		Sideboard
4	Incinerate	2	Disenchant
1	Kaervek's Spite	3	Dystopia
4	Knight of Stromgald	1	Earthquake
4	Man-o'-War	1	Forsaken Wastes
2	Necratog	2	Hydroblast
		2	Knight of the Mists
		3	Pyroblast
		1	Winter Orb

16-to-18 Age Group

Steve Hirsch (First Place)

Steve Hirsch played a version of the "Señor Stompy" deck, made famous by Svend Geertsen, who played it in the semifinals of the 1997 World Championships. This ultra-fast, low-mana, monogreen, creature-horde deck features Elves and Quirion Rangers so it needs almost no land, and Winter Orbs to mess up decks that need more. It also contains Rogue Elephants and Heart of Yavimaya, along with Harvest Wurms to take advantage of the sacrificed forests. Giant Growth and Bounty of the Hunt make even the smallest creatures hard to kill. Hirsch left out Señor Stompy's traditional Ghazbán Ogres for more River Boas and Whirling Dervishes.

Hirsch's Deck (60 cards)

2	Bounty of the Hunt	1	Uktabi Orangutan
17	Forest	3	Whirling Dervish
4	Giant Growth	4	Winter Orb
2	Harvest Wurm		Sideboard
2	Heart of Yavimaya	3	Emerald Charm
3	Jolrael's Centaur	2	Phyrexian Furnace
2	Lhurgoyf	2	Serrated Arrows
4	Llanowar Elves	2	Serrated Biskelion
4	Quirion Ranger	2	Uktabi Orangutan
4	River Boa	1	Unseen Walker
4	Rogue Elephant	1	Whirling Dervish
4	Spectral Bears	2	Winter Blast

Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz (Second Place)

Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz stormed through the Super Series with the all-or-nothing "Prosperous Bloom" strategy. This deck type first became popular in the *Mirage-Visions* environment, but it's strong in Standard and Classic as well. The deck uses Squandered Resources plus Natural Balance to sacrifice and replenish lands, feeding the mana into a big Prosperity. Cadaverous Bloom turns each card draw from the Prosperity into two more mana, for an even bigger Prosperity. Infernal Contract, Impulse, and Vampiric Tutor help set the whole thing up by giving additional cards and selection. The game ends with a huge Bloom-fueled Drain Life. Many Prosperous Bloom decks use City of Solitude to prevent the opponent from interfering once the deck's controller starts his or her combo; O'Mahoney-Schwartz used Abeyance instead, but also included four Cities of Solitude in his sideboard.

—Analyses by Beth Moursund

O'Mahoney-Schwartz's Deck (60 cards)

4	Abeyance	4	Natural Balance
4	Arcane Denial	1	Plains
4	Cadaverous Bloom	4	Prosperity
4	City of Brass	4	Squandered Resources
2	Drain Life	5	Swamp
4	Forest	4	Vampiric Tutor
4	Gemstone Mine		Sideboard
4	Impulse	4	City of Solitude
4	Infernal Contract	3	Emerald Charm
4	Island	2	Hydroblast
		3	Pyroblast
		3	Pyroclasm

Super Series Central Division Championship
Top 8 Finishers by Division

15 & under

Jonathan Gary	Miami, FL	13
Justin Hadlock	Lemont, IL	13
Jeff Sluzinski	Dearborn, MI	13
Kyle Kloeckner	St. Louis, MO	13
Jason Means	Columbus, OH	14
Ron Schubert	Tahlequah, OK	12
Jeremy Burkholder	Chambersburg, PA	15
Chad Drager	Springfield, OH	15

16–18

Steve Hirsch	Wantagh, NY	16
Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	18
Matt Severa	Madison, WI	18
Isaak Murshak	East Lansing, MI	17
Ian Slattery	O'Fallon, MO	16
Jeremy Baca	Richardson, TX	16
Ted Kaplun	Philadelphia, PA	16
Geoffrey Anders	Norristown, PA	16

15-and-Under Champs

16-to-18 Champs

Where Have All the Juniors Gone?

By now you may be asking yourself where the Junior-division results from Pro Tour–Chicago are hiding. Or maybe you're wondering what this Super Series is all about. As it turns out, there's one simple answer to both questions.

The Junior Super Series is a new tournament series for **Magic: The Gathering** players eighteen and under, which replaces the Junior division of the Pro Tour. Chicago saw the first of three Divisional Championships (the other two are scheduled to coincide with Pro Tour dates in New York and Los Angeles in 1998). The Top 8 juniors in each age group (16–18 and 15-and-under) won airfare and accommodations to next summer's Super Series Championship at at *Disney's Wide World of Sports* complex in Orlando, Florida! The Central Division Championship was preceded by twenty-seven Super Series Challenges, where players battled for prizes and automatic advancement to Day 2 of the competition in Chicago.

The best part of the Super Series is that every event—from the Challenges to the Super Series Championship—is open to all players eighteen and under. You can enter at any level or you can advance through each level (winning prizes, airfare, travel money, and more). The choice is up to you:

- Play in a Challenge near you. The top player in each age group advances to Day 2 of the Divisional Championship and wins $200.

- Compete in a Divisional Championship. Day 1 is open; Day 2 is by advancement only (plus the top players from the preceding Challenges). The Top 8 juniors in each age group advance to Day 2 of the Super Series Championship in Orlando, plus win airfare and accommodations for two.

- Battle it out at the Super Series Championship held at *Disney's Wide World of Sports* complex! Again, Day 1 is open and Day 2 is by advancement only (plus the Top 8 from each Divisional Championship). A total of $250,000 in scholarships will be divided among the Top 64 players in both age groups, that's a minimum of $1,000 each!

For more detailed information on the Junior Super Series, or to find out where the nearest Junior Challenge is being held, please call Wizards of the Coast Customer Service at (206) 624-0933 or visit our website at <www.wizards.com/JSS>.

—Diane Brass

On the Circuit

GRAND PRIX–TORONTO

No Illusion: Kibler Wins in Toronto

On August 30–31, 1997, Toronto played host to the second North American Grand Prix. Nearly two hundred players flocked to the event from all over Canada and the United States, with a few players making the journey from Holland and Japan. Many top Pro Tour players were present for the event, including the World Champion Canadian National Team.

Organized by Future Quest Conventions, Grand Prix–Toronto was a two-day affair, with players competing in six rounds on Saturday and cutting to the Top 64 players on Sunday. On the line were eight invitations to Pro Tour–Chicago and $10,000 in prize money. Decks were constructed in the *Mirage–Visions–Weatherlight* (popularly coined "Mirvlight") format.

The first day featured many popular Mirvlight decks, including "Ertog" (featuring Ertai's Familiar and Necratog), "Illusionist" (monoblue with Vodalian Illusionist), and "Sands" (using Equipoise and Sands of Time). After Saturday's matches were complete, a new deck style emerged on top, thanks to Team Deadguy. The three top seeds going into Sunday (Team Deadguy members Tony Tsai, Dave Price, and Dave Bartholow) all played the same monoblack deck, which featured thirty-four creatures including one Mischievous Poltergeist. Tony Tsai shared credit for the deck with Brian Fenwick of Colorado.

In Sunday's quarterfinals, Erik Lauer of Team CMU (playing monoblack hand destruction) swept Bruce Cowley's Ertog deck. Brian Kibler used his Illusionist deck to beat Michael Turian of Team CMU (green-white Maro). Matt Place (monoblue) defeated Dan Silberman, the third member of Team CMU to make it to the quarterfinals. Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz, whose Ertog deck had defeated three other Team Deadguy members during the tournament, fell to Deadguy Tony Tsai, inspiring Tsai's teammate Dave Price to remark, "It took four Deadguys, [but we] brought down Steve!"

Brian Kibler defeated Matt Place in the semifinal round. Place, who had playtested with Kibler before the tournament, thanked his opponent for showing him the deck over the Internet, saying, "This is the best deck in Mirvlight by far." Erik Lauer narrowly edged out Tony Tsai in three games, with Lauer's Snake Baskets being the key to victory.

The finals matched New Hampshire's Brian Kibler in tie-dye and corduroy against Pittsburgh's Erik Lauer, in Team CMU shirt and cap. After fifteen rounds of play, both players were feeling the effects of fatigue. Said Lauer, "All I wanted to do was cast Agonizing [Memories], I was so tired." In the end, Kibler's Abductions, Vodalian Illusionists, and countermagic outlasted Lauer's Necrosavants, Snake Baskets, Stupors, and Drain Lifes. Winning the match two games to one, Kibler walked away with the Pro Tour invitation, $1,700 in cash, and the title of Grand Prix–Toronto Champion.

—Jeff Donais

1996–97 Pro Tour Player of the Year: Paul McCabe

A 'passing of the torch' occurred in Chicago as Toronto's Paul McCabe was recognized as the 1996–97 **Magic** Pro Tour Player of the Year. McCabe, who amassed 52 Pro Tour player points during the 1996–97 season, succeeds Sweden's Olle Råde as the second Pro Tour Player of the Year.

"Being Pro Tour Player of the Year is a symbol of recognition for all the time I've spent practicing and training," McCabe said. When asked if he set any goals entering the 1996–97 season, the nineteen-year-old Canadian admitted that his primary aim in this, his first season competing as a Master-division player, was "just to establish myself as a solid player."

McCabe, an engineering student at the University of Toronto, catapulted himself into the spotlight with a win at Pro Tour–Dallas last November. Place-finishes in the Top 64 in Paris (April) and New York (June) proved that his performance wasn't a fluke, but it was his semifinalist finish at the 1997 **Magic** World Championships in Seattle in August that clinched the title.

Still, the road to the top wasn't easy. Like most experienced players, McCabe immediately identified the ruthless schedule of competition at the event as the most difficult part of the Pro Tour: "Staying up late practicing, having to get up early and play every day for twelve or fourteen hours on only four hours of sleep." McCabe volunteered that Pro Tour–Paris was the toughest stop on the 1996–97 circuit, citing his difficulty in designing a deck for the *Mirage–Visions* format used there, as well as the foreign setting. "I was so excited about going to Paris that when I got there, I wasn't really practicing or playing. I was just touring the city."

Despite his seemingly meteoric rise to the top, careful observers might have predicted that McCabe was due for success. In the 1996 World Championships, he placed twelfth, finishing ahead of some established players (Shawn "Hammer" Regnier, Alexander Blumke, Michael Loconto, Mike Long, and Dennis Bentley, to name a few), plus the '97 World Champ, Jakub Slemr. Before that, McCabe was a Junior finalist at both Pro Tour–Columbus (July '96) and Pro Tour–Los Angeles (May '96). In fact, if there had been a Junior-division "Pro Tour Player of the Year" award for the 1995–96 season, there's a good chance McCabe would have been the recipient.

He said he finds the competition among the "senior" crowd more rigorous than when he participated as a Junior. "The players are more focused and less easily distracted," he said. "A lot of players can make the Top 8, but many fail to follow through, and that's what indicates your consistency as a player." Despite his poor showing in Chicago—he dropped out after the fourth round of Day 1 without a match win to his credit—McCabe's performance last season suggests he's got what it takes to stick around.

—Andy Collins

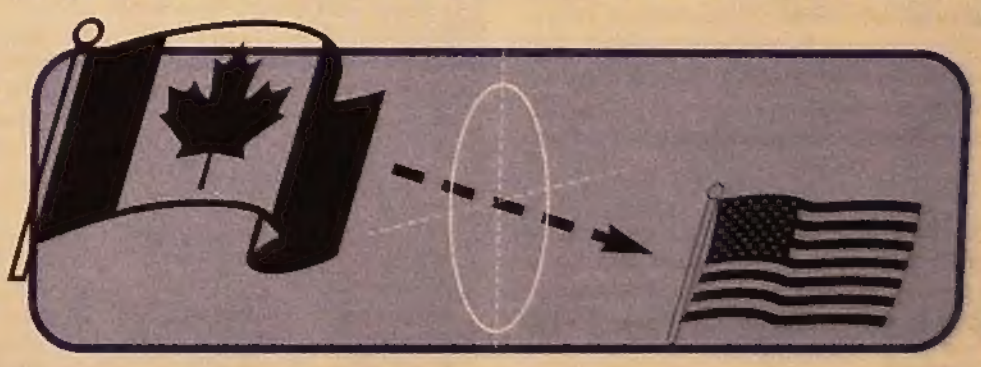
Canadians, Americans Throw Down

Most Americans don't know it, but Canadians feel a great rivalry between the two countries. With the United States having a distinct edge over Canada in most sports, Canadians take special pride in any victory they can achieve.

This national pride was the genesis of the Can-Am Showdown at Pro Tour–Chicago. With two Pro Tour victories, as well as the recent win at the World Team Championship, the Canadians were perhaps justified in talking a little trash on the Internet. The subject: which country is better at playing **Magic**—the Great White North or the game's home nation?

To settle the issue, the Top 10 players from each country (as determined by Pro Tour player points) agreed to assemble after the finals of Pro Tour–Chicago to compete in a Team Limited competition unlike any seen before.

Each team received forty **Magic** boosters: two from each card set beginning with Beta, including *Tempest*, *Portal*, and an unofficial set called "Expansion X" designed by Donald X. Vaccarino, of San Francisco. Teams then had seventy minutes to construct ten decks using the pooled cards. The different deck-building strategies of each team became apparent almost immediately.



The Americans' table was chaotic during deck construction. Arguments flared up and were quickly settled. Cards were thrust from player to player in a frantic deck-building frenzy. The rough strategy was to divide into two teams, each one building five decks and then converging afterward to make final adjustments.

The Canadians' table, on the other hand, looked like an operating room. Players stayed calm, passed cards here and there, and built their decks in smaller teams rather than individually. At the end of the deck-construction period, the Canadians each rolled dice to determine drafting order, and then drafted which deck they would play.

The structure of the tournament was unique as well: five rounds of Swiss-style pairings, with the points awarded for match wins increasing after each round, allowing a team that was behind to more easily make a comeback. Unlike the Pro Tour competition of the previous three days, the atmosphere was light and friendly throughout the matches; players joked and taunted while spectators circled and whispered comments back and forth.

The enormous variety in the card sets made the games interesting to watch. Just about any **Magic** card could hit the table at any moment, which made matches very hard to predict. The "X" expansion added an exciting variable since its cards were largely unknown and tended to be different from most **Magic** cards the players were familiar with.

For instance, Eric Tam had Suleiman's Griffin, a 2/2 flyer with protection from Efreets and Djinns. This was a nasty surprise to some opponents with power cards from *Arabian Nights*. Jeff Donais killed Aaron Muranaka's Yavimaya Gnats, an important regenerating blocker, by casting Firespitting (an enchantment similar to Firebreathing that deals 1 damage to any target when it comes into play). When a spectator commented that Muranaka should not have tapped out, Muranaka replied dryly, "How silly of me. I should have expected Firespitting."

Soon after the matches began, it became apparent that something—the quality of their cards, their deck-building techniques, or perhaps just national skill—had given the Canadians an edge, because they immediately jumped out to a lead that appeared insurmountable. Going into the final round, the Americans needed a miracle to win. Things looked grim, but American team captain John Yoo reached down deep for an interesting gambit. Standing up, he shouted, "Canada, do you want to accept a draw?" After several long seconds of contemplation, Canadian captain Paul McCabe, Yoo's opponent at the time, said, "John, I love you, I respect you, but before the day is done, I'm going to have to kill you." With that, the offer was declined and Team Canada rolled on to win the first Annual Can-Am Showdown at Pro Tour–Chicago.

—John Robertson

ARENA LEAGUE

Vanguard Returns in January

Arena–The League for **Magic: The Gathering** will be starting 1998 with a bang! The Winter Season of Arena league play (Jan. 2–Feb. 9) will feature an all-new *Vanguard* set. This new set of eight cards, like the first, will be available exclusively through the Arena league for its initial release. However, players will receive a full set of cards (including such favorites as Volrath and Selenia), upon registration for the season, instead of four of the eight cards as they did during the first Arena season to feature *Vanguard* cards (Summer 1997). This will allow players even greater flexibility when building decks using these cards. As with the last *Vanguard* season, players will build Standard (Type II) decks along with the *Vanguard* cards.

The first *Vanguard* season was the Arena league's most popular, so don't miss out on the next! To find the Arena store nearest you, check our website at <www.wizards.com/Arena>.

What if there is no Arena store in my area?
Wizards of the Coast often gets calls often from players who want to join the Arena league but don't have any participating stores in their areas. There is still plenty of time for your local game or hobby store to register for Arena's Winter Season. Talk to your retailer and encourage him or her to sign up. Many of the current Arena stores signed up because of their players' insistence. Registration is as easy as placing a call to Wizards of the Coast Merchant Relations.

—Judy Holman

Summer Season Top 10 Players (Standard format with Vanguard)

Rank	Player	Rating	Store (City, State)
1	Franklin Hunsberger	2082	Flights of Fantasy (Albany, NY)
2	Jared Kohler	2012	TJ's Cards & Comics (Monongahela, PA)
3	George Clark	2008	Sports Cards Crafts and Collectibles (Windsor, ON)
4	Brian Schmitzer	1978	Goldenwest Comics (Huntington Beach, CA)
5	Peter Carr	1963	Mark's Cards & Collectibles (Windsor, ON)
6	Craig Foulke	1955	The Citadel (Longview, TX)
7	Craig Dushane	1948	West Michigan Sports Card Connection (Grand Haven, MI)
8	Rich Vlastnik	1941	Metropolis Comics (La Salle, IL)
9	Mikhail Popkov	1940	Black Lotus Cafe (Montreal, QC)
10	Kerry Reed	1930	Bill And Walt's Hobby (Greensburg, PA)

Harvest Season Top 10 Players (Extended format)

Rank	Player	Rating	Store (City, State)
1	Craig Dushane	2026	West Michigan Sports Card Connection (Grand Haven, MI)
2	Jim Radeshak	1988	Superior Sports Cards (Natrona Heights, PA)
3	Christopher Lowmon	1952	Hobbies & Heroes (Hickory, NC)
4	David Williams	1937	Richmond Comix (Richmond, VA)
5	Jared Kohler	1919	TJ's Cards Comics & Collectibles (Monongahela, PA)
6	Eric Howell	1912	Dr. No's (Marietta, GA)
7	Bryan Lynch	1911	Club House Collectibles (North Dartmouth, MA)
8	Mike Labeau	1910	Guardian Comics (Waldorf, MD)
9	Mark Aronowitz	1904	Mark's Comics and Collectibles (Valley Stream, NY)
10	Aaron Mitchell	1902	Bay Ave Comix (North Beach, MD)

JUNIOR RANKS

Magic Zones to Open in 1998

Starting in early 1998, young players will have dedicated, safe, friendly, noncompetitive places to learn and hone their **Magic** skills. These **Magic** Zones, designed for ages eight to fifteen, will be located in schools, libraries, community centers, and youth organizations. Wizards of the Coast will help local volunteer staff members and volunteer retailers work together to organize instruction, social **Magic** tournaments, and other fun, **Magic**-related activities at each Zone location.

Magic Zones emphasize fun, noncompetitive play, instead of focusing on who is the best player in the area. The social **Magic** tournaments featured in **Magic** Zones maximize player participation while enabling young players to enjoy the game together and learn strategy tips. A two-tiered structure of exciting prize packages will be available for organizers to purchase for use in **Magic** Zones.

Wizards of the Coast also recognizes the importance of parents' comfort level. For that reason, parents are strongly encouraged to stay and observe the activities, and to speak directly with event organizers. **Magic** Zones will be in operation at least three hours a week, but will vary depending on the schedules of the host sites. The Zones will also be a distribution area for Wizards of the Coast's new Junior Newsletter. This newsletter (soon to be named by its readers) focuses strictly on players ages eight to fifteen. It contains information on upcoming junior tournaments and events, answers players' most frequently asked questions, and features regular contributions from **Magic** creator Richard Garfield.

During its summer trial phase, **Magic** Zones were tested in Seattle, Albuquerque, and Los Angeles. Wizards of the Coast is currently compiling the requests of potential new sites. Locations of new **Magic** Zones will be determined in December 1997 and will open in early 1998. An information packet on how to become a **Magic** Zone operator can be obtained by contacting Patricia Krause, c/o Wizards of the Coast, P.O. Box 707, Renton, WA 98057-0707.

—Janet Cole

DCI NEWS

Judge Certification and Tournament Sanctioning

Official Changes to the Standard Floor Rules Banned & Restricted Lists

1.) Effective October 1, 1997. Standard (Type II) Banned List: no alterations; Extended Banned List: Hypnotic Specter is added and Juggernaut is removed; Classic-Restricted (Type 1.5) Banned List: no alterations; Classic (Type I) Banned List: no alterations; and Classic (Type I) Restricted List: Candelabra of Tawnos, Copy Artifact, Feldon's Cane, Mishra's Workshop, and Zuran Orb are all removed.

The DCI players' organization announces changes to its Banned and Restricted Lists four times each year: March 1, June 1, September 1, and December 1. We have received several requests for a "philosophy statement" to accompany our quarterly announcements so DCI members will understand the logic behind our decisions to ban and restrict (or to "un-ban" and "un-restrict") certain cards. We hope this information proves useful to you. Please don't hesitate to contact the DCI with any questions or comments regarding this statement. The DCI can be contacted via phone at (425) 204-8032, fax at (425) 204-5820, or through email at <dci@wizards.com>.

2.) Explanation of Extended Format Changes. Hypnotic Specter is added to the Banned List because it presents a tremendous swing advantage in the game. Quite simply, if a player casts Hypnotic Specter and his or her opponent doesn't respond immediately, the opponent will usually lose the duel. Since the low casting cost of Hypnotic Specter makes it very easy for a player to cast on the first turn, many duels are won or lost on the first turn. This level of game swing is more acceptable in the Classic tournaments, where many more degenerate first-turn plays are possible, but it's not acceptable in the Extended format.

Juggernaut, meanwhile, is removed from the Banned List because the Extended format allows players to deal with the card in any number of ways. It therefore doesn't present a significant imbalance to the format.

3.) Explanation of Classic Format Changes. Candelabra of Tawnos, Copy Artifact, Feldon's Cane, Mishra's Workshop, and Zuran Orb are all removed from the Restricted List. The DCI staff believes these cards no longer present a significant game imbalance in the Classic format.

—Jason Carl, Policy Director, DCI

MILITARY LEAGUE

UPDATE

The Military League's Fall Season (Q1FY98) used the Extended format, with the addition of *Vanguard* cards. Feedback has been so positive that we look forward to including the next *Vanguard* set in future league play.

With the holidays approaching, those of us in the league who are not deployed or on an unaccompanied tour should send a postcard or an email to fellow league players who are not so fortunate. Share your favorite **Magic** playing tip, strategy hint, or game anecdote. Contact information can be found on the Military League website at <www.wizards.com/Military_League>.

In keeping with the Wizards of the Coast tradition, the Military League will be donating **Magic** cards and hosting tournaments at camps and installations in Bosnia, Kuwait, and Korea for both the Thanksgiving and winter holidays. I expect to be spending the holidays downrange, organizing **Magic** play for troops unable to be with their loved ones. I'm no substitute for family, but I always carry **Magic** cards and other Wizards of the Coast games with me when I travel! Look for a full disclosure and some interesting exposure of "Bosnia Rules **Magic**" on our website, as well as in an upcoming issue of the *Duelist Sideboard*.

Speaking of our website, visitors will see a far more user-friendly look, with up-to-date ranking information, a new and improved search engine, and current tournament information worldwide. Remember, if your installation is hosting a tournament, or if you have special activities occurring, let us know about it by sending email to <military@wizards.com>. We love to post tournament information for both league and non-league members, and also your favorite anecdotes about league play. This is your **Magic** website, and we can't make it happen without you.

A special Military League thanks goes out to the participants in the military Limited event at Pro Tour–Chicago, held October 10–12. Players from the U.S. Navy Great Lakes Training Center made up the majority of competitors (thanks to their great USO soldier support program), with Ft. McCoy also making a strong showing.

Pro Tour–Mainz (scheduled for December 5–7) could well prove to be the largest gathering of Military League players to date. I expect to see American military personnel from the U.K. (RAF Lakenheath), Spain (Rota), Germany (Wurzburg), and Italy (Naples NSA) gathering in Mainz to compete not only in the Pro Tour itself, but in the multitude of ancillary events (including a military event) scheduled.

As this season wraps up, I would be remiss not to give a great welcome to our foreign military personnel. Hello to our players from the military ranks of Germany, Australia, Belgium, United Kingdom, Norway, and Israel. We are now truly a worldwide league. Cheers!

—Freddi Scott

Top 10 Players from Summer Season (Q4FY97) (Extended format)

Ranking	Rank & Name	Rating	Branch	Location
1	SPC Kevin Wirsing	1614	Army	Vilseck, Germany
2	SGT David McDonell	1612	Army	Germany
3	SPC Christopher Dahler	1608	Army	Grafenwoehr, Germany
4	SPC Paul Richard	1607	Army	Germany
5	Marcus Jarvis	1606	Dependent	Kaiserslautern, Germany
6	SSG Scott Jarvis	1603	Army	Kaiserslautern, Germany
6	SPC Timothy Holley	1603	Army	Kaiserslautern, Germany
8	MAJ Willis Leavitt	1600	Army	Vilseck, Germany
9	SPC Brian Hicks	1599	Army	Kaiserslautern, Germany
9	SGT James Kramer	1599	Army	Vilseck, Germany

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Collector's Hideaway
Juneau, AK (907) 463-4807

Shael-On
Anchorage, AK (907) 333-3350

The Comic Store
Fairbanks, AK (907) 452-5780

Dr Bob's Game Shop
Huntsville, AL (205) 880-3726

Excalibur Games
Birmingham, AL (205) 444-9193

Gail Dragon Comics
Mobile, AL (334) 661-4060

Lion And The Unicorn
Hoover, AL (205) 823-1118

Maxon Comics And Games
Montgomery, AL (334) 288-3300

Gallery Of Champion Cards
Fayetteville, AR (501) 444-0707

Half Time
Beebe, AR (501) 882-5470

Hardgood Comics
Fort Smith, AR (501) 783-6008

Hill & D Sportscard & Comics
Benton, AR (501) 778-7100

Phantasmagorium
Mountainhome, AR (870) 425-7424

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Sedona, AZ (520) 282-0675

All About Books And Comics #1
Phoenix, AZ (602) 277-0757

Arizona Collector's Paradise
Scottsdale, AZ (602) 970-6744

Empire Games & Comics
Bullhead City, AZ

Harpicords Cards Alliance
Tucson, AZ (520) 790-2246

Hobbytown Usa
Phoenix, AZ (602) 598-5282

Little Shop Of Magic
Flagstaff, AZ (520) 774-3546

Magic's House Of Cards
Holbrook, AZ (520) 524-6384

Pyramid Comics & Games
Sierra Vista, AZ (520) 458-2786

The Game Depot
Tempe, AZ (602) 968-4727

The Main Event
Casa Grande, AZ (520) 836-7343

Things For Thinkers
Tucson, AZ (520) 232-6769

A Hidden Fortress
Simi Valley, CA (805) 526-6457

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Porterville, CA (209) 781-7007

Ace Computers And Games
Santa Rosa, CA (707) 575-5797

Adventures In Comics And Games
Carmichael, CA (916) 973-9064

All Star Games
Diamond Bar, CA (909)598-4700

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San Francisco, CA (415) 759-5363

Bleacher Bums
Sherman Oaks, CA (818) 386-0855

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Bobbins Cards & Collectibles
North Highlands, CA
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Morgan Hill, CA (408) 776-0725

Castle Games
Santa Rosa, CA (707) 579-9353

Christie's - The Blue Magic
Palm Springs, CA (760) 322-1347

Clark's Trading Comics & Cards
Santa Rosa, CA (707) 586-3000

Clubhouse Collectibles
Indio, CA (760) 347-6390

Collectors Choice
San Jose, CA (408) 559-1419

Comic Heaven
Manteca, CA (209) 823-7393

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Torrance, CA (310) 515-2676

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Turlock, CA (209) 634-0442

Comics And Cards
Folsom, CA (916) 984-1755

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Turlock, CA (209) 668-3539

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North Hollywood, CA
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Westminster, CO (303) 426-0768

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Norwalk, CT (203) 750-0505

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Newark, DE (302) 266-9963

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Fun Zone
Louisville, KY (502) 895-9854

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Richmond, KY (606) 625-9300

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Cajun R/C
Lafayette, LA (318) 988-6270

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Baton Rouge, LA (504) 924-8304

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Springfield, MA (413) 782-3600

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Amherst, MA (413) 253-2990

Club House Collectibles
North Dartmouth, MA (508) 993-2692

Causeway Cards & Music
Plymouth, MA (508) 747-3211

Cosmic Comics
Fall River, MA (508) 324-1983

Davis Square Collectibles
Somerville, MA (617) 623-2273

Dragon's Lair East
Worchester, MA (508) 752-4002

Jean's Comic Connection
Littleton, MA (508) 486-1099

Kids Stuff Hobbies
Westfield, MA (413) 562-9900

Larry's Comics
Lowell, MA (508) 459-8323

Lenox Sportscards & Gaming
Lenox, MA (413) 637-3243

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N Chelmsford, MA (508) 251-4241

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The Magic Cube
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Trader Tom's
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Hagerstown, MD (301) 745-5973

The Mint Card Company
Glen Burnie, MD (410) 766-8071

Mick's Cards
Dundalk, MD (410) 288-7044

Portal Comics & Collectibles
Bangor, ME (207) 947-2261

Comics Plus
Ellsworth, ME (207) 667-6061

Eagle Hill
Presque Isle, ME (207) 764-5701

Greenhouse Games
Gardiner, ME (207) 582-6498

J & B Cards & Comics
Brunswick, ME (207) 729-1577

M & R Games
Portland, ME (207) 878-5468

Atlas Collectibles
Hesperia, MI (616) 854-7534

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Bearaga, MI (906) 524-7677

Bob Mike Sports And Game Cards
Shelby, MI (810) 997-8894

Dragon Collectibles
Ann Arbor, MI (313) 663-6646

Four Arts, Crafts & Hobbies
Clio, MI (810) 687-5377

Collectors Corner
Midland, MI (517) 839-2040

Comic Alley
Monroe, MI (313) 457-2797

Comics & Collectibles
Monroe, MI (313) 242-7084

Comics A More
Madison Heights, MI (810) 399-3213

Doggie's Comics
Holt, MI (517) 694-6311

Feature Sports & Entertainment
Kalamazoo, MI (616) 349-8866

Galaxy Comics
Saginaw, MI (517) 799-6334

Galaxy Comics II
Mt. Pleasant, MI (517) 775-7538

Gamer's Inn
Troy, MI (810) 740-7022

Hudson City Cats
Ferndale, MI (810) 398-7430

Kelly's Comics
Port Huron, MI (810) 989-2564

Ltd. Sportscards & Collectibles
Flint, MI (810) 736-7470

Magical Literd
Pinckney, MI (313) 878-2588

Major League Sportscards & Comics
Lansing, MI (517) 321-0068

Mgm's 7 Color
Livonia, MI (810) 474-5373

Michigan Game Corp.
Garden City, MI (313) 427-2451

Mudnight, Inc.
Jackson, MI (517)784-8955

Northern Asylum
Houghton Lake, MI
(517) 366-5239

Pack Shack
Southgate, MI (313) 284-0960

Phoenix Comics House
St. Marie, MI (906) 632-9612

Sibley Lumber Centers
St Clair Shores, MI
(810) 772-2220

Sportscard Connection
Houghton, MI (906) 482-4121

Sportscasters
Grand Ledge, MI (517) 256-3723

T & E Cards & Comics
Augusta, MI (616) 731-4650

The Chemical Dragon
Gaylord, MI (517) 732-8503

The Emporium
Newaygo, MI (616) 652-2220

The Store
Waterford, MI (810) 623-1880

West Michigan Sports Card Connection
Grand Haven, MI (616) 847-8418

War Traffic Rider & Games
Edina, MN (612) 928-8010

Collector's Connection
Duluth, MN (218) 722-9551

Dreamers Sportscards And Store
St Louis Park, MN (612) 938-8183

Face The Music # 1
Rochester, MN (507) 281-4883

First & 10 Inc
Inver Grove Heights, MN (612)
457-5948

Hot Comics & Collectibles - New Hop
New Hope, MN (612) 593-1223

Jason's Sportscards & Comics
Morris, MN (320) 589-3675

Lion's Den
Minneapolis, MN (612) 724-2805

Sharps Comics And Games
Falcon Heights, MN (612) 645-
0888

Tri-City Sportscards & Memorabilia
Shoreview, MN (612) 490-3354

Dragons Cards & Collectibles
Branson, MO (417) 335-4300

Escapist Comics & Sports
Springfield, MO (417) 831-4724

Galaxcon Hobbies
Lee'S Summit, MO (816) 246-0858

Gaugler House
Columbia, MO (573) 449-6896

K And T Collectibles
Savannah, MO (816) 324-4588

The Fantasy Shop - St Charles
St Charles, MO (314) 631-5211

Toy Alliance Wings
St Charles, MO (314) 441-9897

Renaissance Gaming
Greenville, MS (601) 332-8005

Star Dog Comics
Starkville, MS (601) 324-2808

Star Dog Comics-Tupelo
Tupelo, MS (601) 842-8624

Jabs
Biloxi, MS (601) 435-7744

The War Zone
Hattiesburg, MS (601) 268-7675

Cosmic Comics
Helena, MT

Fun Stuff
Billings, MT (406) 256-2548

Ignatz Page
Billings, MT (406) 652-9444

Card Fanatics
Spring Lake, NC (910) 497-2357

Cleveland Hobbies
Chapel Hill, NC (919) 929-0021

Gt's Comics & Collectibles
Burlington, NC (910) 222-1193

Comics Inc
Fayetteville, NC (800) 867-3080

Craig's Cards And Collectibles
Greensboro, NC (910) 855-3680

Daddy Joe's Comics
High Point, NC (910) 889-9900

Dragon's Keep
Hickory, NC (704) 877-0081

Eastern Books And Wars
Albemarle, NC (704) 982-7546

Ecksmiths Comics
Raleigh, NC (919) 981-0110

Fun Key Comics & Cards
Wilmington, NC (910) 452-7782

Game Closet
Raleigh, NC (919) 781-4263

Great Blue Sportscards
Jacksonville, NC (910) 346-7525

Hobbie Quest
Rocky Mt, NC (919) 451-2882

Hoffman & Harris
Hickory, NC (704) 345-0206

Star Cards
Jacksonville, NC (910) 353-7699

The Magic Place
Durham, NC (919) 471-1123

The Time Tunnel
Statesville, NC (704) 871-8933

C & M Sportscards
Minot, ND (701) 839-0171

C & L Baseball Cards
Seabrook, NH (603) 929-2290

Gobblygook Box #1
Lincoln, NE (402) 434-5056

Kits Enterprises
Auburn, NE (402) 274-2477

The Gator Bagpool
Blair, NE (402) 426-2150

Ed's Basement Games
Farmington, NH (603) 755-2112

Charlie's Comic Book Shop
North Conway, NH
(603) 356-7070

Dragons Of Lore
Lebanon, NH (603) 443-7130

Hammer's Comics
Manchester, NH (603) 668-7440

The Game Zone
Dover, NH (603) 749-2242

Tony's Fun & Games
Laconia, NH (603) 524-9267

Asgard Comics And Games
Freehold, NJ (908) 780-6659

Castle Comics
Barnegat, NJ (609) 660-1966

Comic Collection
New Brunswick, NJ (732) 249-
5558

Comic Castle
Swedesborough, NJ
(609) 467-2324

Comic Lair
Freesia, NJ (609) 695-8855

Comic World
Moorestown, NJ (609) 778-4332

Cosmic Plus
Mount Holly, NJ (609) 267-6117

G & G Collectibles
Williamstown, NJ (609) 262-8020

Game Town
Ledgewood, NJ (201) 927-9544

Jamie's Playhouse
Cape May Ct House, NJ
(609) 465-9644

Mike's Baseball Cards & Comics 9
Voorhees, NJ (609) 489-1777

New Concept 2
Mercerville, NJ (609) 586-1993

Pyramid Comics & Cards
Sparta, NJ (973) 729-5343

Steve's Comic Relief
Delran, NJ (609) 461-1770

Superhero City
Sewell, NJ (609) 218-1880

Time Warp Comics And Games
Cedar Grove, NJ (201) 857-8788

Tj's Card And Comic Connection
Moorestown, NJ (609) 778-4200

A Collector's Dream
Farmington, NM (505) 326-6446

Alpha Omega Games
Albuquerque, NM (505) 765-5096

Evolution Comic
Alamogordo, NM (505) 434-9350

Evolution Comic II
Las Cruces, NM (505) 521-4122

Gamers
Santa Fe, NM (505) 983-6037

Pegasus Loft And Hobb
Clovis, NM (505) 769-9188

Shortcase 10
Albuquerque, NM (505) 271-1304

Wargames West Re Central
Albuquerque, NM (505) 265-6159

Alpha Omega Games
Reno, Nv (702) 329-3303

Cliff Hanger Collectibles
Incline Village, NV (702) 832-2622

Hit & Run Sports Collectibles & Cards
Reno, NV (702) 826-0808

White Knight Gaming
Las Vegas, NV (702) 895-9701

Wizards Playground
Las Vegas, NV (702) 258-8024

Action Comics
New York, NY (212) 679-1976

All American Card Rare
E Hartford, NY (516)568-3588

All Star Collectibles
Brooklyn, NY (718)373-7335

Applause Comics
Troy, NY (518)271-1089

Bill's Antique
Dundee, NY (607)243-5502

Bobbi's Armory
Rochester, NY (716)231-3880

Bulletproof Comics
Brooklyn, NY (718)531-8415

Captain Comic
Park, NY (516) 739-5349

Chameleon Comics And Cards
Flushing, NY (718) 461-4875

Comic Corner
Pawling, NY (914) 855-1173

Coyote's Den
Copenhagen, NY (716) 394-6510

Crazy Egor's
Rochester, NY (716) 427-2180

Dragon Tree II
Yonkers, NY (914) 376-3336

Flight Into Fantasy
Buffalo, NY (716) 836-9854

Fingers Of Fantasy
Albany, NY (518) 433-9803

Game Asylum
Canandaigua, NY (716) 396-3410

Grand Slam
Dolgeville, NY (315)429-8343

Hilbert Card & Coin
New Hartford, NY (315) 768-2307

Larry's Comics And Cards
Jamaica, NY (718) 990-0010

Mantis Comics And Collectibles
Valley Stream, NY (516) 872-5919

Mind Games
Oneida, NY (315) 363-2448

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Port Washington, NY
(516) 883-6831

Main Sports Cards
Binghamton, NY (607) 771-4876

Middletown Games & Hobbies
Middle Beach, NY (516) 261-7420

Music & Magic
Schenectady, NY (518) 372-3310

Mystery Arsenal
New York, NY (212) 620-1388

Not Only Baseball Cards
Hicksville, NY (516) 937-1168

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Inwood, NY (602) 798-9258

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Nanuet, NY

The Gamers Alliance
Owensboro, NY (607) 421-1660

The Game Master
Plattsburgh, NY (518) 563-8329

The Game People Play
Elmira, NY (607) 732-2259

The Hobb
Riverhead, NY (516) 369-9677

The Strike Zone
Bellmore, NY (718) 545-2958

The Wizards Guild 1
Clifton Park, NY (518) 371-8338

Tremont Hobbies
Brooklyn, NY (718) 827-8435

Wizard World Inc
Nanuet, NY (914) 624-2223

X Men Comics And Cards
Brewster, NY (914) 279-6262

Xtra Games
Cincinnati, OH (513) 771-1666

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Warren, OH (330) 393-3137

Amazing Comics
Columbus, Oh (614) 276-4230

Big Wig
Fowler, OH (330) 545-9400

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Columbus, OH (614) 519-9815

Collector's World
Toledo, OH (419) 472-4779

Comic Book World
Cincinnati, OH (513) 681-8300

Comic Central
Cincinnati, OH (513) 528-1900

Comic Shop Plus
Newark, OH (614) 344-5471

Comic Vine I
Westerville, OH (614) 882-9358

Comic Vine II
Columbus, OH (614) 262-9306

Comic Vine V
Columbus, OH (614) 451-2113

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Columbus, OH (614) 221-9663

Emerald Castle
St Mary's, OH (419) 394-0512

Fantasy Sportscards
Parma Heights, OH (216) 845-1288

Fantasy Unlimited
Mount Vernon, OH (614) 397-7758

Glass City Games
Toledo, OH (419) 474-6304

Grandpa's
Springfield, OH (513) 323-6668

Heroes Hold
Medina, OH (330) 725-4436

Johnson's Comics
Shannonville, OH (513) 788-9836

Mind Games
Sylvania, OH (419) 885-1551

Parrot Station Games
Washington Ch, OH
(614) 335-1088

Spellbinders 1
Akron, OH (330) 374-7178

Spellbinders 2
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Sportscard & Magic Shop
Fairborn, OH (614) 878-2756

Springboro
Springboro, OH (513) 748-4505

Star Collectors
Mansfield, OH (419) 522-2040

The Book Shelf
Fremont, OH

The Comic Trader
Keystone Point, OH
(330) 922-4263

The Card Corner
Columbus, OH (614) 488-4311

The Station
Bryan, OH (419) 636-6650

Unique Shelf
Akronstown, OH (330) 659-4500

War Wort Wildcards
Van Wert, OH (419) 238-1507

Wizard's Tower
Troy, OH (937) 339-9259

York Comics And Cards
Parma, OH (216) 842-4468

Wildcat Books And Comics
Shawnee, OK (405) 275-9484

Caribbean Games
Stillwater, OK (405) 377-3527

Dawes Pizza
Pawhuska, OK (918) 287-2000

Dragonage
Oklahoma City, OK
(405) 722-6642

Harry & Sheil
Stillwater, OK (405)372-3355

Bright Dawn Shop
Tulsa, OK (918) 663-5525

Silver Shelf
Tulsa, OK (918) 583-0000

Albany Sports Cards
Albany, OR (541) 928-1308

Awesome Cards & Comics
Tigard, OR (503) 639-4778

Diamond Sports
Redmond, OR (541) 923-3071

Emerald City Comics
Eugene, OR (541) 345-2588

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Portland, OR (503) 761-4629

Gaslight Games
Bend, OR (541) 330-8188

Gateway Comics And Sports Cards
Eugene, OR (541)345-0861

Mr Jacks' Star Treasure
Coos Bay, OR (541)888-5688

Jt's Hobby Shop
Roseburg, OR (541)672-7758

Keeping Score
Portland, OR (503)621-0625

Legends Of The Game
Sunriver, OR (541)593-4885

Mega Comics & Cards
Aloha, OR (503) 848-5488

Merlin's Warship
Portland, OR (503) 245-4101

Planet X
Portland, OR (503) 291-4229

Rising Star Comics
Mcminnville, OR (503) 472-1103

Sweet Home Sportscards
Sweet Home, OR (541) 367-4511

The Hobby Hutt
La Grande, OR (541) 963-8388

Alchemist Trainers
Honesdale, PA (717) 251-8345

All Star Comics & Cards
Lebanon, PA (717) 228-1855

All Stars
Langhorne, PA (215) 752-4500

Artless Games & Miniatures
Erie, PA (814) 899-9288

Bell's Comics & Trading Cards
Grove City, PA (412) 458-4081

Bill And Walt's Hobby
Greensburg, PA (412) 836-8088

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Erie, PA (814)456-2442

Colors Command
Lancaster, PA (215) 855-7252

Collector's World
Pittsburgh, PA (412) 366-9227

Collectors Corner
Lock Haven, PA (717) 748-7033

Comic Quest
Emmaus, PA (610) 966-0199

Comics & More
Philadelphia, PA (215) 333-6969

Comics Crypt
Pittsburgh, PA (412) 361-0833

Comic Universe
Hanover, PA (800) 325-1637

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New Kensington, PA
(412) 339-4414

Game Masters
Pittsburgh, PA (412) 367-4414

Legends Sports Cards
Pittsburg, PA (412) 341-4342

Main Hooked Cards
Clarks Summit, PA
(717) 586-2699

Outrin Street Comic Shop
Philadelphia, PA (215) 238-7338

Out Of Time Comics
Philadelphia, PA (215) 569-3669

Positions
Palmyra, PA (717) 838-9532

Phantom Of The Attic
Pittsburg, PA (412) 921-4229

Phantom Of The Attic - Monroeville
Monroeville, PA (412) 856-4403

Rocking Dragon
Lancaster, PA (215)293-1700

Sports Cards Plus
Brookhaven/Aldie, PA
(717) 862-6217

Superior Sports Cards
Hatboro Heights, PA (412) 236-2544

The Book Shelf
Edinboro, PA (814) 734-3611

The Comics And Gaming Company Inc.
Wilkinsburg, PA (412) 244-8588

The Gaming Center
Oxford, PA (717)993-7252

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Mayfield, PA (717) 383-7252

Tj's Cards Comics & Collectibles
Monongahela, PA (412) 258-9105

Universe Comics
Cards Summit, PA (717) 587-4004

Wine Sportscards And Collectibles
Phoenixville, PA (610) 983-9883

Wizards Of The Game
Clarion, PA (814) 226-4251

Wolfhead Comics
Williamsburg, PA (717) 887-3668

Long Term
Weyquqa, PR (787) 831-7886

MK Kids Station
Aguadilla, PR (787) 817-8048

Comics Kingdom
Kingston, RI (401) 782-9220

Sub Shack
Providence, RI

Specialty Of Everything
Greenville, SC (803) 246-0022

Big Bob's Card Connection
Columbia, SC (803) 782-1626

Brainy Comics & Cards
Orangeburg, SC (803) 534-1603

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Columbia, SC (803) 731-4376

Heroes Outpost
Myrtle Beach, SC (803) 626-2788

M & T Card Company
Sumter, SC (803) 775-9558

The Tangled Web
Spartanburg, SC (864) 574-1713

Wood Universe Trophy
Elgin, SC (803) 438-5688

Absolute Magic
Rapid City, SD (605) 343-5531

Dragon's Den
Sioux Falls, SD (605) 361-4343

Dawn Shadow
Memphis, TN (901) 752-3904

Exemption Cards & Comics
Martin, TN (901) 588-0375

Just Academy
Soddydaisy, TN (423) 457-5329

The Adventurer's Inn
Knoxville, TN (423) 522-7357

The Harvey
Oak Ridge, TN (423) 482-5882

The Game Escape
Jackson, TN (901) 664-1078

The Gaming Connection
Maryville, TN (423) 983-4372

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League City, TX

All Star Collectibles - Texas City
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Astro Comic Book & Games
Midland, TX (915) 520-6462

Bear Hands & Dolphin
Bryan, TX (409) 846-7412

Bunker & Grubby's
Lewisville, TX (972) 219-1213

Comic Zone
Houston, TX (713) 941-7979

Comics & More
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Dugout Sports Cards
Corpus Christi, TX (512) 851-9662

Fancy Pegasus
Austin, TX (512) 478-5715

Galaxy Cards & Comics
Webster, TX (281) 316-1187

Game Galaxy
Arlington, TX (817) 483-4263

Games Galore
Mission, TX (512) 519-8755

Games Galore - Harlingen
Austin, TX (512) 928-1201

Games Galore - Mcallen
Mesquite, TX (972) 279-2388

Games Galore - San Antonio
Austin, TX (210) 651-4188

Games Galore Plano Village
Lewisville, TX (972) 315-6948

Harvard Comics
Killeen, TX (817) 628-1187

Kaleidoscope Comics & Cards
Victoria, TX (512) 575-8251

Krazed Kingdom Cards And Comics
Orange, TX (409) 886-5994

Kyrandia Cards And Comics
Corpus Christi, TX (512) 986-4100

Mcdill's Books And Comics
Dallas, TX (214) 827-3060

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CLASSIC (TYPE I) TOURNAMENTS

Beyond Fantasy - Classic Restricted	Edmonton, AB	12/7/97	(403) 483-2669
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Duel at the Pit	Longueuil, QC	12/6/97	(514) 677-7399
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Player 2 - Classic Tournament	Huntsville, AL	12/7/97	(205) 532-2222
Lion & Unicorn's Classic Tournament	Hoover, AL	12/7/97	(205) 823-1118
Lion & Unicorn's Classic Restricted	Hoover, AL	12/14/97	(205) 823-1118
Dr Bob's Sanctioned Classic	Huntsville, AL	12/20/97	(205) 880-3726
Weekly Classic Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/4/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Classic Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/11/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Classic Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/18/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Classic Restricted Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/5/97	(707) 546-2000
Saturday Evenining Tournaments	Lancaster, CA	12/6/97	(805) 723-3999
The Slam Pit - Sunday CI Restricted	N Hollywood, CA	12/7/97	(818) 763-4748
Weekly Classic Restricted Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/12/97	(707) 546-2000
The Slam Pit - Sunday CI Restricted	N Hollywood, CA	12/14/97	(818) 763-4748
Weekly Classic Restricted Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/19/97	(707) 546-2000
The Slam Pit - Sunday CI Restricted	N Hollywood, CA	12/21/97	(818) 763-4748
Weekly Classic Restricted Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/26/97	(707) 546-2000
The Slam Pit - Sunday CI Restricted	N Hollywood, CA	12/28/97	(818) 763-4748
Classic Tournament	Colorado Springs, CO	12/21/97	(719) 473-1116
Classic Comics 3 - Classic	Roswell, GA	12/5/97	(770) 753-9400
Classic Comics 3 - Classic	Roswell, GA	12/19/97	(770) 753-9400
Classic Comics 3 - Classic	Roswell, GA	12/23/97	(770) 753-9400
Classic Comics 3 - Classic	Roswell, GA	12/30/97	(770) 753-9400
Eastern Illini Classic Championship	Danville, IL	12/6/97	(217) 443-3690
Pastimes - Classic Restricted	Glenview, IL	12/6/97	(847) 724-9636
Castle Perilous - Classic	Carbondale, IL	12/8/97	(618) 529-5317
Castle Perilous - Classic Restricted	Carbondale, IL	12/15/97	(618) 529-5317
The Old Man's Tournaments	Louisville, KY	12/18/97	(502) 969-4403
Monday Night Classic	Somerville, MA	12/1/97	(617) 666-5799
Monday Night Classic	Somerville, MA	12/8/97	(617) 666-5799
Monday Night Classic	Somerville, MA	12/15/97	(617) 666-5799
Monday Night Classic	Somerville, MA	12/22/97	(617) 666-5799
Monday Night Classic	Somerville, MA	12/29/97	(617) 666-5799
Gamemaster North - Classic	Waterville, ME	12/13/97	(207) 873-9653
Gamemaster North - Classic	Waterville, ME	12/27/97	(207) 873-9653
Friday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/5/97	(810) 997-6994
Friday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/12/97	(810) 997-6994
Sunday Night Classic Restricted	Burton, MI	12/14/97	(810) 742-8703
Friday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/19/97	(810) 997-6994
Friday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/26/97	(810) 997-6994
Sunday Night Classic Restricted	Burton, MI	12/28/97	(810) 742-8703
Gathering Ground - Classic Restricted	St Louis, MO	12/20/97	(314) 770-0022
JAK's Classic Restricted Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/13/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Classic Restricted Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/20/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Classic Restricted Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/28/97	(601) 435-7744
Depot's Classic Tournament	Wantagh, NY	12/2/97	(516) 221-9337
Golden Memories Classic Tournament	Mastic, NY	12/5/97	(516) 281-0554
The Emerald Castle Tournament	St Marys, OH	12/7/97	(419) 394-0512
The Emerald Castle Tournament	St Marys, OH	12/28/97	(419) 394-0512
Multi Event #25 - Classic	Eugene, OR	12/13/97	(541) 349-0861
Keeping Score's Classic Restricted	Portland, OR	12/21/97	(503) 591-0605
Rob-Coco's Sanctioned Tournaments	Providence, RI	12/14/97	(401) 861-3221
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Rob-Coco's Sanctioned Tournaments	Providence, RI	12/28/97	(401) 861-3221
Weekly Tournament	Jackson, TN	12/20/97	(901) 664-1078
Gamemaster's Classic Restricted	Memphis, TN	12/28/97	(901) 752-3904
Wednesday Classic Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/3/97	(806) 763-4054
The Chief Presents	Fort Hood, TX	12/7/97	(254) 532-5520
Wednesday Classic Restricted Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/10/97	(806) 763-4054
Wednesday Classic Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/17/97	(806) 763-4054
Wednesday Classic Restricted Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/24/97	(806) 763-4054
Friday Night Fights - Classic	Houston, TX	12/26/97	(713) 680-1870
Wednesday Classic Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/31/97	(806) 763-4054
Classic Tournament	Moab, UT	12/13/97	(801) 259-2361
Second Season Bi Weekly Tournament	Martinsville, VA	12/6/97	(540) 632-2665
Classic Restricted Tournament	Virginia Beach, VA	12/14/97	(757) 497-5977
Second Season Bi Weekly Tournament	Martinsville, VA	12/20/97	(540) 632-2665
Classic Tournament	Fon du lac, WI	12/6/97	(920) 922-8338

STANDARD (TYPE II) TOURNAMENTS

Warp 2 Weekly Tournament - Standard	Edmonton, AB	12/5/97	(403) 478-7767
Warp 2 Weekly Tournament - Standard	Edmonton, AB	12/19/97	(403) 478-7767
Mind Gaming	Winnipeg, MB	12/12/97	(204) 452-1219
Mind Gaming	Winnipeg, MB	12/19/97	(204) 475-9608
Christmas Tournament	London, ON	12/12/97	(519) 679-7944
Duel at the Pit	Longueuil, QC	12/7/97	(514) 677-7399
Duel at the Pit	Longueuil, QC	12/14/97	(514) 677-7399
Duel at the Pit	Longueuil, QC	12/21/97	(514) 677-7399
Dr Bob's Sanctioned Standard	Huntsville, AL	12/13/97	(205) 880-3726
Dr Bob's Sanctioned Standard	Huntsville, AL	12/20/97	(205) 880-3726
Dr Bob's Sanctioned Standard	Huntsville, AL	12/27/97	(205) 880-3726
Lion & Unicorn's Standard Tournament	Hoover, AL	12/28/97	(205) 823-1118
Weekly Standard Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/5/97	(602) 970-6744
Sports Cards II Sanctioned Standard	Phoenix, AZ	12/6/97	(602) 930-9149
Weekly Standard Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/12/97	(602) 970-6744
Sports Cards II Sanctioned Standard	Phoenix, AZ	12/13/97	(602) 930-9149
Weekly Standard Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/19/97	(602) 970-6744
Sports Cards II Sanctioned Standard	Phoenix, AZ	12/20/97	(602) 930-9149
Sports Cards II Sanctioned Standard	Phoenix, AZ	12/27/97	(602) 930-9149
The Game Empire Arena	San Diego, CA	12/1/97	(619) 574-6740
APTP's Standard Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/5/97	(408) 267-6227
The Saturday Gathering - Standard	Costa Mesa, CA	12/6/97	(714) 444-4566
Area 51 - Standard Tournament	Fresno, CA	12/7/97	(209) 222-5301
Sunday Standard Tournament	Riverside, CA	12/7/97	(909) 781-2772
Bleacher Bum's Standard Tournament	Sherman Oaks, CA	12/7/97	(818) 386-0855
The Slam Pit - Sunday Standard	N Hollywood, CA	12/7/97	(818) 763-4748
Standard Tournament	San Diego, CA	12/7/97	(619) 239-7166
Artifex Weekly	San Diego, CA	12/7/97	(619) 487-0589

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The Game Empire Arena	San Diego, CA	12/8/97	(619) 574-6740
APTP's Standard Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/12/97	(408) 267-6227
Match Play - Standard	Mountain View, CA	12/12/97	(415) 947-0398
The Saturday Gathering - Standard	Costa Mesa, CA	12/13/97	(714) 444-4566
Saturday Evenining Tournaments	Lancaster, CA	12/13/97	(805) 723-3999
Area 51 - Standard Tournament	Fresno, CA	12/14/97	(209) 222-5301
KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/14/97	(510) 734-0141
Sunday Standard Tournament	Riverside, CA	12/14/97	(909) 781-2772
Match Play - Standard	Mountain View, CA	12/14/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Sunday Standard	N Hollywood, CA	12/14/97	(818) 763-4748
Standard Tournament	San Diego, CA	12/14/97	(619) 239-7166
The Game Empire Arena	San Diego, CA	12/15/97	(619) 574-6740
APTP's Standard Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/19/97	(408) 267-6227
Match Play - Standard	Mountain View, CA	12/19/97	(415) 947-0398
Monthly Standard Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/20/97	(707) 546-2000
The Saturday Gathering - Standard	Costa Mesa, CA	12/20/97	(714) 444-4566
KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/21/97	(510) 734-0141
Sunday Standard Tournament	Riverside, CA	12/21/97	(909) 781-2772
Area 51 - Standard Tournament	Fresno, CA	12/21/97	(209) 222-5301
Sunday Forever - Standard Tournament	Pontenville, CA	12/21/97	(209) 781-7007
Match Play - Standard	Mountain View, CA	12/21/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Sunday Standard	N Hollywood, CA	12/21/97	(818) 763-4748
Standard Tournament	San Diego, CA	12/21/97	(619) 239-7166
The Game Empire Arena	San Diego, CA	12/22/97	(619) 574-6740
APTP's Standard Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/26/97	(408) 267-6227
The Saturday Gathering - Standard	Costa Mesa, CA	12/27/97	(714) 444-4566
Match Play - Standard	Mountain View, CA	12/27/97	(415) 947-0398
Area 51 - Standard Tournament	Fresno, CA	12/28/97	(209) 222-5301
KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/28/97	(510) 734-0141
Sunday Standard Tournament	Riverside, CA	12/28/97	(909) 781-2772
The Slam Pit - Sunday Standard	N Hollywood, CA	12/28/97	(818) 763-4748
Standard Tournament	San Diego, CA	12/28/97	(619) 239-7166
Standard Tournament	Colorado Springs, CO	12/7/97	(719) 473-1116
Standard Tournament	Colorado Springs, CO	12/28/97	(719) 473-1116
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/6/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/6/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/13/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/13/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/20/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/20/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/27/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Standard	Milford, CT	12/27/97	(203) 783-1630
Hidden Guild's Standard	Lake Worth, FL	12/4/97	(409) 965-6692
Raven's Rule - Standard	Orange Park, FL	12/5/97	(904) 272-5425
Saturday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/6/97	(954) 985-9944
Weekly Standard Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/7/97	(407) 896-1701
Sunday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/7/97	(954) 985-9944
Hidden Guild's Standard	Lake Worth, FL	12/11/97	(409) 965-6692
Raven's Rule - Standard	Orange Park, FL	12/12/97	(904) 272-5425
Saturday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/13/97	(954) 985-9944
Weekly Standard Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/14/97	(407) 896-1701
Sunday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/14/97	(954) 985-9944
Saturday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/20/97	(954) 985-9944
Sunday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/21/97	(954) 985-9944
Saturday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/27/97	(954) 985-9944
Sunday Standard Tournament	Hollywood, FL	12/28/97	(954) 985-9944
Monday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/1/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 3 - Standard	Atlanta, GA	12/3/97	(404) 892-4442
Classic Comics 1 - Booster	Atlanta, GA	12/5/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/6/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 3 - Standard	Roswell, GA	12/7/97	(770) 753-9400
Monday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/8/97	(770) 7 53-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Standard	Atlanta, GA	12/10/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/13/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 3 - Standard	Roswell, GA	12/14/97	(770) 753-9400
Monday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/15/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Standard	Atlanta, GA	12/17/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/20/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 3 - Standard	Roswell, GA	12/21/97	(770) 753-9400
Monday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/22/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Standard	Atlanta, GA	12/24/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/27/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 3 - Standard	Roswell, GA	12/28/97	(770) 753-9400
Monday Standard Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/29/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Standard	Atlanta, GA	12/31/97	(404) 892-4442
Pastimes - Standard Tournament	Glenview, IL	12/13/97	(847) 724-9636
Castle Perilous -Standard	Carbondale, IL	12/22/97	(618) 529-5317
Pastimes - Standard Tournament	Glenview, IL	12/27/97	(847) 724-9636
Guild Gate Nights	Kansas City, KS	12/28/97	(816) 455-5924
The Old Man's Tournaments	Louisville, KY	12/4/97	(502) 969-4403
Cardz & Comix - Standard	Corbin, KY	12/10/97	(606) 526-0502
Cardz & Comix - Standard	Corbin, KY	12/17/97	(606) 526-0502
DCI Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	Bossier City, LA	12/1/97	(318) 747-6153
The Bayou Gathering	Lafayette, LA	12/6/97	(318) 988-6270
DCI Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	Bossier City, LA	12/8/97	(318) 747-6153
The Bayou Gathering	Lafayette, LA	12/13/97	(318) 988-6270
DCI Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	Bossier City, LA	12/15/97	(318) 747-6153
The Bayou Gathering	Lafayette, LA	12/20/97	(318) 988-6270
DCI Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	Bossier City, LA	12/22/97	(318) 747-6153
The Bayou Gathering	Lafayette, LA	12/27/97	(318) 988-6270
DCI Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	Bossier City, LA	12/29/97	(318) 747-6153
Friday Night Standard	Somerville, MA	12/5/97	(617) 666-5799
Friday Night Standard	Somerville, MA	12/12/97	(617) 666-5799
Friday Night Standard	Somerville, MA	12/19/97	(617) 666-5799
Friday Night Standard	Somerville, MA	12/26/97	(617) 666-5799
The Mint Card Co - Standard	Glen Burnie, MD	12/5/97	(410) 766-8071
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/7/97	(410) 931-2900
The Mint Card Co - Standard	Glen Burnie, MD	12/12/97	(410) 766-8071
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/14/97	(410) 931-2900
The Mint Card Co - Standard	Glen Burnie, MD	12/19/97	(410) 766-8071
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/21/97	(410) 931-2900
The Mint Card Co - Standard	Glen Burnie, MD	12/26/97	(410) 766-8071
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/28/97	(410) 931-2900
Gamemaster North - Standard	Waterville, ME	12/6/97	(207) 873-9653
Gamemaster North - Standard	Waterville, ME	12/20/97	(207) 873-9653
Saturday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/6/97	(810) 997-6994
TLC's Standard Tournament	Augusta, MI	12/6/97	(616) 731-4660
Saturday Night Standard	Burton, MI	12/6/97	(810) 742-8703
Sunday Night Standard	Shelby Township, MI	12/7/97	(810) 997-6994
Tuesday Night Standard	Burton, MI	12/9/97	(810) 742-8703
Saturday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/13/97	(810) 997-6994
Sunday Night Standard	Shelby Township, MI	12/14/97	(810) 997-6994
Saturday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/20/97	(810) 997-6994
TLC's Standard Tournament	Augusta, MI	12/20/97	(616) 731-4660
Saturday Night Standard	Burton, MI	12/20/97	(810) 742-8703
Sunday Night Standard	Shelby Township, MI	12/21/97	(810) 997-6994
Saturday Night Classic	Shelby Township, MI	12/27/97	(810) 997-6994
Sunday Night Standard	Shelby Township, MI	12/28/97	(810) 997-6994
Tuesday Night Standard	Burton, MI	12/30/97	(810) 742-8703
Dreamer's Fri Standard	St Louis Park, MN	12/5/97	(612) 938-8163
Phoenix Games - Standard	Minneapolis, MN	12/5/97	(612) 823-3222
Dreamer's Fri Standard	St Louis Park, MN	12/7/97	(612) 938-8163
Phoenix Games - Standard	Minneapolis, MN	12/12/97	(612) 823-3222
Dreamer's Fri Standard	St Louis Park, MN	12/19/97	(612) 938-8163
Phoenix Games - Standard	Minneapolis, MN	12/19/97	(612) 823-3222
Phoenix Games - Standard	Minneapolis, MN	12/26/97	(612) 823-3222
Standard Tournament	Whiteman AFB, MO	12/6/97	(816) 687-5617
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/6/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/7/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/13/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/14/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/21/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/27/97	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Standard	St Louis, MO	12/28/97	(314) 770-0022
JAK's Standard Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/4/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Standard Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/11/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Standard Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/18/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Standard Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/26/97	(601) 435-7744
The Western Montana Open	Missoula, MT	12/6/97	(406) 543-9944
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/13/97	(603) 668-7440
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/21/97	(603) 668-7440
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/27/97	(603) 668-7440
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/28/97	(603) 668-7440
Boyhood Dreams - Standard	Dunellen, NJ	12/5/97	(908) 752-0440
Boyhood Dreams - Standard	Dunellen, NJ	12/12/97	(908) 752-0440
Boyhood Dreams - Standard	Dunellen, NJ	12/19/97	(908) 752-0440
Boyhood Dreams - Standard	Dunellen, NJ	12/26/97	(908) 752-0440
Depot's Standard Tournament	Wantagh, NY	12/13/97	(516) 221-9337
Wizard's Den Biweekly	Monroe, OH	12/7/97	(513) 520-7142
Reality Recess Standard Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/13/97	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess Standard Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/20/97	(216) 779-7008
The Emerald Castle Tournament	St Marys, OH	12/20/97	(419) 394-0512
Wizard's Den Biweekly	Monroe, OH	12/21/97	(513) 520-7142
Reality Recess Standard Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/27/97	(216) 779-7008
Gateway Weekly	Eugene, OR	12/5/97	(541) 349-0861
Keeping Score's Standard	Portland, OR	12/7/97	(503) 591-0605
Gateway Weekly	Eugene, OR	12/10/97	(541) 349-0861
Multi Event #25 - Standard	Eugene, OR	12/13/97	(541) 349-0861
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/4/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/5/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/11/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/12/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/18/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/19/97	(864) 292-8818
Standard Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/26/97	(864) 292-8818
Home Plate Cards & Comics Show	Martin, TN	12/6/97	(901) 588-0075
Gathering with Katie	Jefferson, TN	12/6/97	(423) 475-1966
Gamemaster's Standard Tournament	Memphis, TN	12/7/97	(901) 752-3904
Weekly Tournament	Jackson, TN	12/13/97	(901) 664-1078
Gathering with Katie	Jefferson, TN	12/13/97	(423) 475-1966
Gamemaster's Standard Tournament	Memphis, TN	12/14/97	(901) 752-3904
Gathering with Katie	Jefferson, TN	12/20/97	(423) 475-1966
Gamemaster's Standard Tournament	Memphis, TN	12/21/97	(901) 752-3904
Gathering with Katie	Jefferson, TN	12/27/97	(423) 475-1966
Friday Standard Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/5/97	(806) 763-4054
Chief & House of Cards Presents	Copperas Cove, TX	12/6/97	(254) 542-1174
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/6/97	(817) 461-4206
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/7/97	(817) 461-4263
Texas Semi Pro Qualifier - Beaumont	Beaumont, TX	12/7/97	(409) 833-2324
Sunday Showdown - Standard	Houston, TX	12/7/97	(713) 680-1870
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/10/97	(817) 461-4206
Friday Standard Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/12/97	(806) 763-4054
Astral Castle's Monthly Standard Tournament	Midland, TX	12/13/97	(915) 520-6463
Strike Zone Weekly Tournament	Houston, TX	12/13/97	(281) 484-7875
The Chief Presents	Fort Hood, TX	12/14/97	(254) 532-5520
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/14/97	(817) 461-4263
Texas Semi Pro Qualifier - Abilene	Abilene, TX	12/14/97	(806) 763-4054
TSPQ - Abilene Side Event	Abilene, TX	12/14/97	(806) 763-4054
Sunday Showdown - Standard	Houston, TX	12/14/97	(713) 680-1870
Friday Standard Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/19/97	(806) 763-4054
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/21/97	(817) 461-4263
Sunday Showdown - Standard	Houston, TX	12/21/97	(713) 680-1870
Friday Standard Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/26/97	(806) 763-4054
Games Galore Standard Tournament	Arlington, TX	12/28/97	(817) 461-4263
Sunday Showdown - Standard	Houston, TX	12/28/97	(713) 680-1870
Standard Tournament	Moab, UT	12/6/97	(801) 259-2361
Standard Tournament	Moab, UT	12/20/97	(801) 259-2361
Star City Comics Standard Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/6/97	(540) 362-4400
Second Season Bi Weekly Tournament	Martinsville, VA	12/6/97	(540) 632-2665
Little War's Standard Tournament	Fairfax, VA	12/13/97	(703) 352-9222
Star City Comics Standard Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/13/97	(540) 362-4400
Star City Comics Standard Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/20/97	(540) 362-4400
Second Season Bi Weekly Tournament	Martinsville, VA	12/20/97	(540) 632-2665
Standard Tournament	Virginia Beach, VA	12/21/97	(757) 497-5977
Little War's Standard Tournament	Fairfax, VA	12/27/97	(703) 352-9222
Star City Comics Standard Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/27/97	(540) 362-4400
Standard Tournament	Eau Claire, WI	12/7/97	(715) 831-2112
Standard Tournament	Fon du lac, WI	12/13/97	(920) 922-8338

EXTENDED TOURNAMENTS

Mind Gaming - Extended	Winnipeg, MB	12/20/97	(204) 475-9608
Duel at the Pit	Longueuil, QC	12/13/97	(514) 677-7399
PTQ LA - Anchorage, AK	Anchorage, AK	12/6/97	(907) 274-4112
PTQ LA - Birmingham, AL	Birmingham, AL	12/6/97	(770) 753-0030
Player 2 - Extended Tournament	Huntsville, AL	12/21/97	(205) 532-2222
Weekly Extended Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/5/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Extended Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/12/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Extended Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/19/97	(602) 970-6744

DCI Sanctioned Events

The Saturday Gathering - Extended	Costa Mesa, CA	12/6/97	(714) 444-4566
PTQ LA - Bay Area, CA	Mountain Home, CA	12/7/97	(650) 947-0398
Sunday Extended Sanctioned Tournament	Huntington Beach, CA	12/7/97	(714) 965-1751
The Saturday Gathering - Extended	Costa Mesa, CA	12/13/97	(714) 444-4566
PTQ LA - Los Angeles	Los Angeles, CA	12/13/97	(714) 444-4601
Match Play - Extended	Mountain View, CA	12/13/97	(415) 947-0398
Sunday Extended Sanctioned Tournament	Huntington Beach, CA	12/14/97	(714) 965-1751
The Saturday Gathering - Extended	Costa Mesa, CA	12/20/97	(714) 444-4566
Match Play - Extended	Mountain View, CA	12/20/97	(415) 947-0398
Sunday Extended Sanctioned Tournament	Huntington Beach, CA	12/21/97	(714) 965-1751
The Saturday Gathering - Extended	Costa Mesa, CA	12/27/97	(714) 444-4566
Sunday Extended Sanctioned Tournament	Huntington Beach, CA	12/28/97	(714) 965-1751
Match Play - Extended	Mountain View, CA	12/28/97	(415) 947-0398
PTQ LA - Denver, CO	Denver, CO	12/13/97	(303) 366-3977
Wednesday Tournaments	W Hartford, CT	12/10/97	(860) 231-1915
Days of Knights December Extended	Newark, DE	12/27/97	(302) 366-0963
Raven's Rule - Extended	Orange Park, FL	12/6/97	(904) 272-5425
Coliseum of Comics - Extended	Orlando, FL	12/20/97	(407) 240-7882
Wednesday Extended Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/4/97	(770) 753-0030
Wednesday Extended Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/11/97	(770) 753-0030
Wednesday Extended Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/18/97	(770) 753-0030
PTQ LA - Atlanta, GA	Atlanta, GA	12/20/97	(770) 753-0030
PTQ LA - Chicago, IL	Chicago, IL	12/6/97	(847) 222-1994
Hi 5's Extended Tournament	Indianapolis, IN	12/6/97	(317) 884-8036
PTQ LA - Indianapolis, IN	Indianapolis, IN	12/6/97	(317) 578-3459
Hi 5's Extended Tournament	Indianapolis, IN	12/13/97	(317) 884-8036
Hi 5's Extended Tournament	Indianapolis, IN	12/20/97	(317) 884-8036
Rey Gray's Tournaments	Louisville, KY	12/11/97	(502) 969-4403
PTQ LA - St Louis, MO	St Louis, MO	12/13/97	(847) 222-1994
PTQ LA - High Point, NC	High Point, NC	12/20/97	(910) 889-9900
PTQ LA - Fargo, ND	Fargo, ND	12/6/97	(701) 772-3954
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/14/97	(603) 668-7440
PTQ LA - Alburquerque, NM	Alburquerque, NM	12/6/97	(505) 265-6100
PTQ LA - Las Vegas	Las Vegas, NV	12/20/97	(801) 374-9058
Depot's Extended Tournament	Wantagh, NY	12/20/97	(516) 221-9337
PTQ LA - Columbus, OH	Columbus, OH	12/14/97	(800) 529-3975
Borderland's Extended Tournametn	Salem, OR	12/6/97	(503) 399-3597
Keeping Score's Extended	Portland, OR	12/13/97	(503) 591-0605
OSMA Extended Tournament	Philadelphia, PA	12/6/97	(215) 288-7338
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PTQ LA - Pittsburgh, PA	Pittsburgh, PA	12/7/97	(800) 529-3975
PTQ LA - Harrisburg, PA	Harrisburg, PA	12/27/97	(212) 633-6320
PTQ LA - Knoxville, TN	Knoxville, TN	12/13/97	(770) 753-0030
Chief & Gerard's Comics Presents	Killeen, TX	12/6/97	(254) 628-9197
PTQ LA - Salt Lake City, UT	Salt Lake City, UT	12/13/97	(801) 374-9058
Star City Comics Extended Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/7/97	(540) 362-4400
Star City Comics Extended Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/14/97	(540) 362-4400
Star City Comics Extended Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/21/97	(540) 362-4400
Star City Comics Extended Tournament	Roanoke, VA	12/28/97	(540) 362-4400
PTQ LA - Seattle, WA	Seattle, WA	12/6/97	(206) 675-1608
PTQ LA - Steven's Point, WI	Steven's Point, WI	12/6/97	(920) 623-0244

LIMITED TOURNAMENTS

Warp 2 Weekly Tournament - Booster	Edmonton, AB	12/12/97	(403) 478-7767
Beyond Fantasy - Limited	Edmonton, AB	12/13/97	(403) 483-2669
Wide Choice Books's Limited Tournament	Grand Prairie, AB	12/13/97	(403) 539-5622
Warp 2 Weekly Tournament - Limited	Edmonton, AB	12/26/97	(403) 478-7767
Weekly Donated	Burnaby, BC	12/3/97	(604) 521-4471
Weekly Donated	Burnaby, BC	12/10/97	(604) 521-4471
Weekly Donated	Burnaby, BC	12/17/97	(604) 521-4471
Weekly Donated	Burnaby, BC	12/24/97	(604) 521-4471
Weekly Donated	Burnaby, BC	12/31/97	(604) 521-4471
Mind Gaming	Winnipeg, MB	12/5/97	(204) 452-1219
Booster Draft Tournament	Summerside, PE	12/13/97	(902) 888-2010
Lion & Unicorn's Booster Draft	Hoover, AL	12/12/97	(205) 823-1118
Player 2 - Limited Tournament	Huntsville, AL	12/14/97	(205) 532-2222
Lion & Unicorn's Limited Tournament	Hoover, AL	12/20/97	(205) 823-1118
Dr Bob's Sanctioned Booster Draft	Huntsville, AL	12/27/97	(205) 880-3726
Weekly Limited Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/7/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Limited Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/14/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Limited Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/21/97	(602) 970-6744
Weekly Limited Tournament	Scottsdale, AZ	12/28/97	(602) 970-6744
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/1/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/2/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Tuesday Booster	N Hollywood, CA	12/2/97	(818) 763-4748
Artifex Weekly	San Diego, CA	12/2/97	(619) 487-0589
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KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/3/97	(510) 734-0141
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/3/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/4/97	(415) 947-0398
Friday's at First! - Booster Draft	Hayward, CA	12/5/97	(510) 582-1893
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/5/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Friday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/5/97	(818) 763-4748
The Saturday Gathering - Limited	Costa Mesa, CA	12/6/97	(714) 444-4566
APTP's Limited Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/7/97	(408) 267-6227
Area 51 - Rochester Draft	Fresno, CA	12/7/97	(209) 222-5301
The Slam Pit - Sunday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/7/97	(818) 763-4748
Wizards of the Redwood Empire - Limited	Santa Rosa, CA	12/7/97	(707) 575-5797
Artifex Weekly	San Diego, CA	12/7/97	(619) 487-0589
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/8/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/9/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Tuesday Booster	N Hollywood, CA	12/9/97	(818) 763-4748
Artifex Weekly	San Diego, CA	12/9/97	(619) 487-0589
Artifex Weekly	San Diego, CA	12/9/97	(619) 487-0589
KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/10/97	(510) 734-0141
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/10/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/11/97	(415) 947-0398
Friday's at First! - Booster Draft	Hayward, CA	12/12/97	(510) 582-1893
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/12/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Friday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/12/97	(818) 763-4748
The Saturday Gathering - Limited	Costa Mesa, CA	12/13/97	(714) 444-4566
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/13/97	(415) 947-0398
APTP's Limited Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/14/97	(408) 267-6227
Area 51 - Rochester Draft	Fresno, CA	12/14/97	(209) 222-5301
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/14/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Sunday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/14/97	(818) 763-4748
Wizards of the Redwood Empire - Booster Draft	Santa Rosa, CA	12/14/97	(707) 575-5797
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/15/97	(415) 947-0398
Monthly Limited Tournament	Santa Rosa, CA	12/16/97	(707) 546-2000
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/16/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Tuesday Booster	N Hollywood, CA	12/16/97	(818) 763-4748
KK's Sanctioned Tournaments	Pleasanton, CA	12/17/97	(510) 734-0141
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/17/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/18/97	(415) 947-0398
Friday's at First! - Booster Draft	Hayward, CA	12/19/97	(510) 582-1893
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/19/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Friday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/19/97	(818) 763-4748
Bleacher Bum's Limited Tournament	Sherman Oaks, CA	12/20/97	(818) 386-0855
The Saturday Gathering - Limited	Costa Mesa, CA	12/20/97	(714) 444-4566
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/20/97	(415) 947-0398
Saturday Evenining Tournaments	Lancaster, CA	12/20/97	(805) 723-3999
APTP's Limited Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/21/97	(408) 267-6227
Area 51 - Rochester Draft	Fresno, CA	12/21/97	(209) 222-5301
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/21/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Sunday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/21/97	(818) 763-4748
Wizards of the Redwood Empire - Limited	Santa Rosa, CA	12/21/97	(707) 575-5797
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/22/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/23/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Tuesday Booster	N Hollywood, CA	12/23/97	(818) 763-4748
Friday's at First! - Booster Draft	Hayward, CA	12/26/97	(510) 582-1893
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/26/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Friday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/26/97	(818) 763-4748
The Saturday Gathering - Limited	Costa Mesa, CA	12/27/97	(714) 444-4566
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/27/97	(415) 947-0398
Saturday Evenining Tournaments	Lancaster, CA	12/27/97	(805) 723-3999
APTP's Limited Tournament	San Jose, CA	12/28/97	(408) 267-6227
Area 51 - Rochester Draft	Fresno, CA	12/28/97	(209) 222-5301
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/28/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Sunday Limited	N Hollywood, CA	12/28/97	(818) 763-4748
Wizards of the Redwood Empire - Booster Draft	Santa Rosa, CA	12/28/97	(707) 575-5797
The Game Empire Arena	San Diego, CA	12/29/97	(619) 574-5740
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/29/97	(415) 947-0398
Match Play - Limited	Mountain View, CA	12/30/97	(415) 947-0398
The Slam Pit - Tuesday Booster	N Hollywood, CA	12/30/97	(818) 763-4748
DJ's Sanctioned Saturday	Lakewood, CO	12/6/97	(303) 233-3398
Limited Tournament	Colorado Springs, CO	12/14/97	(719) 473-1116
DJ's Sanctioned Saturday	Lakewood, CO	12/20/97	(303) 233-3398
DJ's Sanctioned Saturday	Lakewood, CO	12/27/97	(303) 233-3398
Wednesday Tournaments @ Dragon Lair S	W Hartford, CT	12/3/97	(860) 231-1915
Barroncon - Booster Draft	Milford, CT	12/7/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Booster Draft	Milford, CT	12/14/97	(203) 783-1630
Wednesday Tournaments @ Dragon Lair S	W Hartford, CT	12/17/97	(860) 231-1915
Barroncon - Booster Draft	Milford, CT	12/21/97	(203) 783-1630
Barroncon - Booster Draft	Milford, CT	12/28/97	(203) 783-1630
Days of Knights December Tempest Limited	Newark, DE	12/27/97	(302) 366-0963
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/3/97	(454) 771-7492
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournametn	Orlando, FL	12/5/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournametn	Orlando, FL	12/5/97	(407) 896-1701
Friday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/5/97	(954) 985-9944
Monthly Limited Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/6/97	(407) 896-1701
Saturday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/6/97	(954) 985-9944
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournametn	Orlando, FL	12/7/97	(407) 896-1701
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Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/7/97	(454) 771-7492
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/10/97	(454) 771-7492
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/12/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/12/97	(407) 896-1701
Friday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/12/97	(954) 985-9944
Saturday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/13/97	(954) 985-9944
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/14/97	(407) 896-1701
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Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/14/97	(454) 771-7492
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/17/97	(454) 771-7492
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/19/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/19/97	(407) 896-1701
Friday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/19/97	(954) 985-9944
Saturday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/20/97	(954) 985-9944
Raven's Rule - Booster Draft	Orange Park, FL	12/20/97	(904) 272-5425
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/21/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/21/97	(407) 896-1701
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/21/97	(454) 771-7492
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/24/97	(454) 771-7492
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/26/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/26/97	(407) 896-1701
Friday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/26/97	(954) 985-9944
Raven's Rule - Limited	Orange Park, FL	12/27/97	(904) 272-5425
Saturday Booster Draft	Hollywood, FL	12/27/97	(954) 985-9944
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/28/97	(407) 896-1701
Cuz We Card Booster Draft Tournament	Orlando, FL	12/28/97	(407) 896-1701
Heroes of the Game - Limited	Oakland Park, FL	12/28/97	(454) 771-7492
Monday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/1/97	(770) 753-0030
Wednesday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/4/97	(770) 753-0030
Saturday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/6/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Limited Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/7/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/7/97	(770) 753-0030
Monday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/8/97	(770) 753-0030
Wednesday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/11/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Booster	Atlanta, GA	12/12/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/13/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Limited Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/14/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/14/97	(770) 753-0030
Monday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/15/97	(770) 753-0030
Wednesday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/18/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Booster	Atlanta, GA	12/19/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/20/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Limited Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/21/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/21/97	(770) 753-0030
Monday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/22/97	(770) 753-0030
Classic Comics 1 - Booster	Atlanta, GA	12/26/97	(404) 892-4442
Saturday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/27/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Limited Tournament	Alpharetta, GA	12/28/97	(770) 753-0030
Sunday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/28/97	(770) 753-0030
Monday Booster Draft	Alpharetta, GA	12/29/97	(770) 753-0030
Fruitcake Smash	Sioux City, IA	12/27/97	(712) 226-7079
Castle Perilous - Limited	Carbondale, IL	12/1/97	(618) 529-5317
Pastimes - Booster Draft	Glenview, IL	12/20/97	(847) 724-8636
Hi 5's Limited Tournament	Indianapolis, IN	12/6/97	(317) 884-8036
Hi 5's Limited Tournament	Indianapolis, IN	12/13/97	(317) 884-8036
Solid Gold Nights	Indianapolis, IN	12/20/97	(317) 884-8036
Cards & Comics - Limited	Kansas City, KS	12/20/97	(816) 455-5924
Tuesday Night Limited	Corbin, KY	12/2/97	(606) 526-0502
Tuesday Night Limited	Somerville, MA	12/2/97	(617) 666-5799
Tuesday Night Limited	Somerville, MA	12/9/97	(617) 666-5799
Tuesday Night Limited	Somerville, MA	12/16/97	(617) 666-5799
Tuesday Night Limited	Somerville, MA	12/23/97	(617) 666-5799
Another Universe - Booster	Somerville, MA	12/30/97	(617) 666-5799
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/7/97	(410) 931-2900
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/14/97	(410) 931-2900
Another Universe - Standard	Baltimore, MD	12/21/97	(410) 931-2900
Pack Shack -Tempest Limited	Baltimore, MD	12/28/97	(410) 931-2900
Tuesday Night Booster	Southgate, MI	12/2/97	(313) 284-9558
TLC's Booster Draft	Burton, MI	12/2/97	(810) 742-8703
Saturday Night Booster	Augusta, MI	12/6/97	(616) 731-4660
Pack Shack -Tempest Limited	Burton, MI	12/6/97	(810) 742-8703
TLC's Booster Draft	Southgate, MI	12/9/97	(313) 284-9558
TLC's Limited Tournament	Augusta, MI	12/13/97	(616) 731-4660
Saturday Night Booster	Burton, MI	12/13/97	(810) 742-8703
Pack Shack -Tempest Limited	Southgate, MI	12/15/97	(313) 284-9558
Tuesday Night Limited	Burton, MI	12/16/97	(810) 742-8703
TLC's Booster Draft	Augusta, MI	12/20/97	(616) 731-4660
Tuesday Night Booster	Burton, MI	12/23/97	(810) 742-8703
TLC's Booster Draft	Augusta, MI	12/27/97	(616) 731-4660
TLC's Limited Tournament	Augusta, MI	12/27/97	(616) 731-4660
Saturday Night Limited	Burton, MI	12/27/97	(810) 742-8703
Saturday Night Booster	Burton, MI	12/27/97	(810) 742-8703
Dreamer's Wed Booster	St Louis Park, MN	12/3/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Mon Limited	St Louis Park, MN	12/8/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Wed Booster	St Louis Park, MN	12/10/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Fri Standard	St Louis Park, MN	12/12/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Mon Limited	St Louis Park, MN	12/15/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Wed Booster	St Louis Park, MN	12/17/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Mon Limited	St Louis Park, MN	12/22/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Wed Booster	St Louis Park, MN	12/24/97	(612) 938-8163
Dreamer's Mon Limited	St Louis Park, MN	12/29/97	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Limited	St Louis, MO	12/5/97	(314) 779-0022
Gathering Ground - Limited	St Louis, MO	12/12/97	(314) 779-0022
Gathering Ground - Limited	St Louis, MO	12/19/97	(314) 779-0022
Gathering Ground - Limited	St Louis, MO	12/26/97	(314) 779-0022
JAK's Limited Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/6/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Limited Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/7/97	(601) 435-7744
JAK's Limited Tournament	Biloxi, MS	12/27/97	(601) 435-7744
Keeping Score Series - Booster Draft	Durham, NC	12/6/97	(919) 286-3349
Card Avenue - Booster Draft	Spring Lake, NC	12/6/97	(910) 497-2354
Keeping Score Series - Limited	Durham, NC	12/7/97	(919) 286-3349
Keeping Score Series - Booster Draft	Durham, NC	12/13/97	(919) 286-3349
Card Avenue - Booster Draft	Spring Lake, NC	12/13/97	(910) 497-2354
Keeping Score Series - Limited	Durham, NC	12/14/97	(919) 286-3349
Keeping Score Series - Booster Draft	Durham, NC	12/20/97	(919) 286-3349
Card Avenue - Booster Draft	Spring Lake, NC	12/20/97	(910) 497-2354
Keeping Score Series - Limited	Durham, NC	12/21/97	(919) 286-3349
Keeping Score Series - Booster Draft	Durham, NC	12/27/97	(919) 286-3349
Paradox Main Event	Fargo, ND	12/13/97	(701) 239-9605
Hammer's Sanctioned Tournies	Manchester, NH	12/28/97	(603) 668-7440
Limited Tournament	Fords, NJ	12/4/97	(908) 738-6518
Limited Tournament	Fords, NJ	12/11/97	(908) 738-6518
Limited Tournament	Fords, NJ	12/18/97	(908) 738-6518
Reality Recess Limited Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/1/97	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess Limited Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/8/97	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess Limited Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/15/97	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess Limited Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/22/97	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess Limited Tournament	N Olmsted, OH	12/29/97	(216) 779-7008
Borderland's Booster Draft	Salem, OR	12/6/97	(503) 399-3597
OSMA Limited Tournament	Philadelphia, PA	12/6/97	(215) 288-7338
OSMA Limited Tournament	Philadelphia, PA	12/7/97	(215) 288-7338
Rah-Gooo's Sanctioned Tournaments	Providence, RI	12/7/97	(401) 861-3221
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/6/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/6/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/13/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/13/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/19/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/20/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/26/97	(864) 292-8818
Booster Draft Tournament	Taylors, SC	12/27/97	(864) 292-8818
Weekly Tournament	Jackson, TN	12/6/97	(901) 664-1079
Home Plate Cards & Comics Store	Martin, TN	12/6/97	(901) 588-0075
Monday Limited Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/1/97	(806) 763-4054
Friday Face Off - Booster	Austin, TX	12/5/97	(512) 326-8279
Games Galore Booster Draft	Arlington, TX	12/6/97	(817) 461-4263
Sunday Showdown - Limited	Houston, TX	12/7/97	(713) 680-1870
Monday Limited Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/8/97	(806) 763-4054
Friday Face Off - Limited	Austin, TX	12/12/97	(512) 326-8279
Chief & Gerard's Comics Presents	Killeen, TX	12/13/97	(254) 628-9197
Chief & House of Cards Presents	Corpus Christi, TX	12/13/97	(254) 542-1174
Games Galore Booster Draft	Arlington, TX	12/13/97	(817) 461-4263
TSPQ - Abilene Side Event	Abilene, TX	12/14/97	(806) 763-4054
Sunday Showdown - Limited	Houston, TX	12/14/97	(713) 680-1870
Monday Limited Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/15/97	(806) 763-4054
Friday Face Off - Booster	Austin, TX	12/19/97	(512) 326-8279
Games Galore Booster Draft	Arlington, TX	12/20/97	(817) 461-4263
Strike Zone Weekly Tournament	Houston, TX	12/20/97	(281) 484-7875
Sunday Showdown - Limited	Houston, TX	12/21/97	(713) 680-1870
Monday Limited Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/22/97	(806) 763-4054
Friday Face Off - Limited	Austin, TX	12/26/97	(512) 326-8279
Games Galore Booster Draft	Arlington, TX	12/27/97	(817) 461-4263
Jamal Castle's Monday Series Tournament	Midland, TX	12/29/97	(915) 520-6493
Sunday Showdown - Limited	Houston, TX	12/28/97	(713) 680-1870
Monday Limited Tournament	Lubbock, TX	12/29/97	(806) 763-4054
Limited Tournament	Moab, UT	12/6/97	(801) 259-2361
Little Wing's Limited Tournament	Fairfax, VA	12/6/97	(703) 352-9222
Limited Tournament	Virginia Beach, VA	12/7/97	(757) 497-5977
$1000 Cash Tournament #1	Madison, WI	12/14/97	(608) 288-1800
Tempest Limited	Eau Claire, WI	12/27/97	(715) 831-2112
Limited Tournament	Fon du lac, WI	12/28/97	(920) 922-8338
Heroes Showdown - Limited	Evanston, WY	12/14/97	(307) 789-1000

TOP 10 DCI RANKINGS

CLASSIC (TYPE I)

#	PLAYER	RESIDENCE	RATING
Australia			
1	Wayne Lawson	Sydney	1801
2	Paul Merry	Unavailable	1767
3	Stephen Edney	Port of Vale	1733
4	Zhong De	Unavailable	1715
5	Tom Chamberlain	Brisbane	1700
6	Ben Sack	Strathfield	1699
7	Stuart Jones	Melbourne	1680
8	Leonard Collins	Unavailable	1680
9	Aurelio Colosi	Adelaide	1680
10	Adam Kemp	Sydney	1679
Austria			
1	Stefan Schad	Unavailable	1785
2	Philipp Seither	Stockerau	1764
3	Christian Gregorich	Vienna	1725
4	Fabio Saavedra	Salzburg	1723
5	Wolfgang Meyer	Wenen	1717
6	Markus Eck	Vienna	1714
7	Thomas Stacher	Vienna	1712
8	Alexander Prascholsky	Vienna	1694
9	Daniel Zmarzly	Vienna	1691
10	Thomas Brauer	Vienna	1671
Belgium			
1	Jean-Louis D'Horet	Unavailable	1885
2	Micky Vromen	Deurne	1778
3	Werner Van Der Haeghe	Antwerpen	1773
4	Kurt Fokiet	Leuven	1770
5	Steve Claeys	Deurne	1764
6	Nicolas Fournier	Bruxelles	1763
7	Michel De Vos	Brussels	1762
8	Pierre Gilmchrist	Ukkel St Genest	1761
9	Gilles Grandjean	Brussels	1752
10	Vincent Gelling	Unavailable	1744
Brazil			
1	Guilherme D. Dalincourt	Porto Alegre	1808
2	Pedro Castilho	Brasilia	1787
3	Enio Sousa	Brasilia	1775
4	George Hirakawa	Sao Paulo	1741
5	Pedro V. Tayer	Brasilia	1738
6	Francis H. Schmitz	Pelotas	1737
7	Unknown 190074	Porto Alegre	1733
8	Sergio Longo	Sao Paulo	1732
9	Joao Gravena	Rio De Janeiro	1725
9	Felipe Mao	Sant. Parnaiba	1725
Canada			
1	James G. Escott	Roaches Line	1943
2	David Furey	Mr Main	1934
2	Will J. Sorge	Upper Gullos	1934
4	Elijah Pollack	Toronto	1933
5	Patrick R. Martin	St Johns	1871
6	Gabriel Tsang	Toronto	1861
7	James Zazula	Thunder Bay	1860
8	Jp Selig	Edmonton	1851
9	Nick S. Benckoski	Regina	1836
10	Michael C. White	St Johns	1823
Croatia			
1	Denis O. Zagmester	Zagreb	1822
2	Danijel Pajor	Unavailable	1733
2	Sasa Stolic	Zagreb	1697
4	Ivan Rubelj	Zagreb	1582
5	Sonja Rostok	Krapina	1560
Czech Republic			
1	Ondrej Baudys	Hlinsko	1686
2	Jakub Slavik	Praha	1684
3	Pavel Fojtik	Ostrava	1665
3	Douglas Wang	Praha	1665
5	David Korejtko	Zdar Nad Sazavou	1644
6	Lukas Kocourek	Prague	1638
7	Petr Luca	Praha	1634
8	Dorsey Kalman	Budapest	1621
9	Lukas Ladra	Praha	1610
Denmark			
1	Rune Spoich	Hvidovre	1708
2	Morten Sigegaard	Hjortshoj	1705
3	Karsten Hoppe	Copenhagen	1704
4	Niels Sanders Jensen	Randers	1684
5	Peter Lauer	Copenhagen	1678
6	Thomas Blindt Jensen	Roskilde	1656
7	Thomas Jensen	Unavailable	1654
8	Svend Geertsen	Copenhagen	1648
9	Christian Ohlsen	Aarhus	1644
10	Willers Mentzel	Kopenhagen	1635
Finland			
1	Mikko Makipaa	Pori	1837
2	Tomi Nikkanen	Kauniainen	1761
3	Jussi Valo	Helsinki	1725
4	Tomasi Hovi	Kaarina	1720
5	Petri Wathen	Kauniainen	1705
6	Juha Helppi	Turku	1704
7	Arto Hiltunen	Turku	1698
8	Marko Eskelpaa	Kokkola	1680
9	Erno Ekebom	Helsinki	1663
10	Jonathan Brovet	Helsinki	1657
France			
1	Francois Fresan	Marcq En Baroeul	1840
2	Marcel Pao	Paris	1828
3	Jeremie Lagarde	Neuilly Sur Seine	1821
4	Christian Montagud	Mery La Neuf	1819
5	Swann Dubourdieuhaa	Reims	1814
6	Sebastien Gracia	Perpignan	1803
7	Antonin Agliany	Hyeres	1797
7	Philippe Mongeaux	Meaux Esmant	1797
9	Philippe Emmanuel Jean	Paris	1791
10	Emmanuel Verney	Paris	1790
Germany			
1	Arnold Hulsdorf	Kerpen	1893
2	Ralph Gerwert	Bielefeld	1810
3	Philipp Stennich	Gottingen	1784
4	Sven Pohl	Hannover	1774
5	Thomas Schneider	Hilgesheim	1770
6	Ulf Papenberg	Bielefeld	1769
7	Lars Penler	Horn - Bad Meinb.	1767
8	Thomas Eiser	Arnsberg	1758
9	Jurovich Kuhn	Hannover	1756
10	Florian Liebig	Emden	1741
Hungary			
1	Rovo Viktor	God	1781
2	Tihor Miklos	Budapest	1778
3	Toszegi Szabolcs	Budapest	1770
4	Bakos Attila	Budapest	1733
5	Bea Marton	Budapest	1720
6	Albert Tibor	Budapest	1701
7	Petras Gabor	Budapest	1697
7	Annamaria Koller	Unavailable	1697
9	Bakos Sandor	Budapest	1696
10	Fodor Gabor	Budapest	1682
Ireland			
1	Eoin Brennan	Co Dublin	1835
Italy			
1	Antonio Ghidoni	Brescia	1753
2	Massimo Cuter	Brescia	1741
3	Edoardo Mingotti	Brescia	1727
4	Gabriele Pisicchio	Roma	1701
5	Riccardo Pozzoni	Bologna	1694
6	Dario Solari	Monfalcone	1679
7	Marco Luzzatto	Napoli	1671
8	Alessandro Betti	Bologna	1653
Japan			
1	Ituru Ishida	Tokyo	1788
2	Fumihiro Wajima	Aomori	1754
3	Satoshi Nakamura	Shinjyuku-Ku	1750
4	Abe Yuichi	Ishikawa	1744
5	Timothy Laubach	Aomori	1729
6	Matsuo Goro	Ishikawa	1727
7	Kiribuchi Takuji	Tokyo	1726
8	Akitoshi Wakizu	Shizuoka	1721
9	Yamada Tsutomu	Osaka	1720
10	Kuze Seiko	Aomori	1719
Luxembourg			
1	Roman Gaul	Luxemburg	1765
2	Paul Barker	Heinsenge	1599
Mexico			
1	Homero Caballero-Cruz	Mexico DF	1709
Netherlands			
1	Wim Heider	Hengelo	1802
2	Martijn Pijnenburg	Renkum	1738
3	Peter Touber	Sassenheim	1733
4	Maarten De Rooij	Unavailable	1732
5	Mark Heeres	Tilburg	1715
6	Roeland Van Der Heeuwen	Nieuwe	1706
7	Sven Dijl	Amsterdam	1698
8	Ronnie Mittag	Schipluiden	1697
9	Wessel Oomens	Unavailable	1691
10	Karel Klinkspoor	Amsterdam	1685
Norway			
1	John Morten Johnsen	Stavanger	1717
2	Thomas Rebedal	Oslo	1700
3	Christian Lyones	Godvik	1690
4	Sigurd Eskeland	Jar	1684
5	Tai Nguyen	Sarpsborg	1679
6	Thorna J. Hansen	Unavailable	1654
7	Morten Berbotic	Sotvestmoen	1643
8	Jonas Mathiassen	Oslo	1641
9	Markus Johnsen	Oslo	1640
10	Tommy Hammerseik	Oslo	1636
Philippines			
1	Jp Sullan	Davao City	1621
2	Ian B Balipata	Davao City	1618
3	Philip G Lasalita	Davao City	1617
Poland			
1	Grzegorz Skwalik	Warsaw	1703
2	Tomasz Grzecik	Warsaw	1654
3	Marek Grywalski	Warsaw	1621
Portugal			
1	Ricardo Jose Pereira Afonso Rosa Lisboa		1830
2	Rui Miguel De Sousa Cordeiro Amadora		1575
Singapore			
1	Kelvin Hoon Yew Teck	Unavailable	1591
Slovak Republic			
1	Richard Von Glasner	Bratislava	1725
2	Robert Jurkovic	Unavailable	1705
South Korea			
1	Dongwoo Son	Seoul	1745
2	Dongju Kim	Seoul	1692
3	Eunho Kang	Seoul	1685
4	Woo-Ye Jun	Unavailable	1655
5	Aric R. Jack	Unavailable	1654
6	Roger K. Haney	Unavailable	1625
6	Michael R. Yeller	Osan	1625
8	Jonyong Cho	Seoul	1619
9	Yongmeh Joh	Seoul	1614
10	Clyde R. McCleary JR	Unavailable	1612
Spain			
1	Manuel Robinson	Alcala De Henares	1779
2	Daniel Cordellat Fernandez	Madrid	1761
3	Rafael Jimenez Ba-o	Barcelona	1747
4	Fernando Escribano Cardeno	Madrid	1742
5	Carlos Barrado Lopez	Madrid	1731
6	Tago Pita Alvarez	Madrid	1730
7	Roger Manchas Domenech	Tortosa	1729
8	Javier Alberto Gomez Garrido	Madrid	1727
8	Juan Luis Eguibar Fdez. Blanco	Madrid	1727
8	Paris Alvarez Ruiz	Madrid	1727
Sweden			
1	Leon Lindkvist	Stockholm	1808
2	Tomas Larsson	Stockholm	1804
3	Thomas Andersson	Toby	1801
4	Mattias Jonsteil	Goteborg	1797
5	Johan Disenberg	Tyreso	1759
6	Mike Magnusson	Tyreso	1741
7	Jonas Eisenvall	Sollentuna	1732
7	Martin Jonsk	Molnlycke	1732
9	Albert Akhavan	Unavailable	1721
10	Niklas Eriksson	Sollentuna	1714
Switzerland			
1	Alexander Blumke	Thonex	1775
2	Michael Suwald	Zurich	1744
3	Ernst Schipper	Forch	1737
4	Francois Kisling	Unavailable	1691
5	Serge Gariglio	Lennart / Lausanne	1688
6	Manuel Perdefias	Unavailable	1686
7	Thomas Royer	Pauden	1683
8	Christoph Keck	Unavailable	1679
9	Markus Weiser	Ostwil am See	1678
10	Tania Allemann	Genfood	1652
United Kingdom			
1	Mike Wilson	Walsall	1886
2	Andrew Rose	Swindon	1804
3	Paul Daniels	Mr. Shrewsbury	1801
4	Martin Gaught	South Bedfont	1797
5	Andy Liles	Wolverhampton	1794
6	Richard Hudson	Macclesfield	1780
7	Tony Adams	Bembridge	1778
7	Oliver Clements	Wolverhampton	1778
9	Ben Sanders	Edinburgh	1770
10	Lee Lole	Walsall	1762
United States			
1	James Paul Wentzlaff	Buffalo, NY	2057
2	Raymond Deguzman	Chicago, IL	1986
3	John Clarnock	Sunnell, NJ	1982
4	Michael Thomas	Depew,	1974
4	Chad Fredette	Middle Village, NY	1974
6	Jason Marks	Bera, OH	1970
7	Tom Guevin	Nashua, NH	1949
8	Andrew Nesiicka	Wheeling, IL	1945
9	Darren Kastle	Allston, MA	1933
10	Maxwell Sower	Seattle, WA	1929

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Argentina			
1	Roque Rios	Martinez	1720
2	Juan Pedro Linares	Buenos Aires	1699
3	Santiago De Rego	San Miguel	1690
4	Hernan Javier Parra	Buenos Aires	1688
5	Diego Hernan Rivas	Buenos Aires	1686
6	Francisco Millilo	Buenos Aires	1683
7	Alejandro Gimena	Buenos Aires	1653
8	Christian Lopez	San Martin	1647
9	Kheng Ho Toh	Buenos Aires	1643
10	Mario Mariscovich	Buenos Aires	1635
Australia			
1	Nathan Russell	Adelaide	1804
2	Stephen Cambell	Victoria	1696
3	Zhong Ou	Pascoe Vale	1648
4	Michael Doecker	Adelaide	1633
5	Matt Goodall	Unavailable	1629
6	Craig Sheppard	Melbourne	1613
7	Glenn Stanley	Unavailable	1610
8	Tom Changheng	Brisbane	1792
8	Russell Barlow	Unavailable	1786
10	David Tickner	Adelaide	1780
Austria			
1	Felipe Saavedra	Salzburg	1819
2	Thomas Kocher	Hallein	1780
3	Alexander Jelinek	Purgstall	1762
4	Stefan Schell	Unavailable	1759
5	Clemens Kodrick	Unavailable	1757
6	Walter Herzig	Klagenfurt	1746
7	Christian Gregorich	Vienna	1726
8	Jelicic Grzesiak	Vienna	1716
9	Wolfgang Mayer	Vienna	1713
10	Benedikt Klauser	Vienna	1712
10	Astrid Jelinek	Vienna	1712
Belgium			
1	Kurt Fokiet	Leuven	1879
2	Ian Leuven	Antwerpen	1847
3	Ben Possemiers	Antwerpen	1829
4	Mark Dictus	Schoten	1826
5	Dominique Cosme	Unavailable	1779
6	Uy Ly Duc	Bruxelles	1776
6	Linus Verwyns	Heverlee	1776
6	Steve Claeys	Deurne	1796
9	Dreux Peyrot	Unavailable	1764
10	Rink Van Dessen	Stroetbeek	1754
Brazil			
1	Juliano Maldaner	Campinas	1888
2	Thiago G Machado	Sao Paulo	1795
3	Eduardo L Lima	Sao Paulo	1789
4	Thomas Feisberg	Sao Paulo	1768
5	Romerio T Britto	Rio De Janeiro	1763
6	Fernando D. Pinjal	Sao Paulo	1755
7	Fabiano de Castro e Castro	Belo Horizonte	1751
8	George Harakawa	Sao Paulo	1748
9	Euclides P Netto	Campinas	1746
9	Hoven G. Liboni	Campinas	1746
Canada			
1	Ho Yong (John) Park	Toronto	2009
2	Eric Tam	Toronto	1989
3	Gary G Wise	Willowdale	1965
4	Joe Donais	Windsor	1959
5	Matthew Wenman	Toronto	1942
6	Roland S. Aw	Edmonton	1935
7	Gary Krakowec	Toronto	1832
8	Robert J. Bradford	Victoria	1814
9	Terry Lau	Richmond	1912
10	Terry Tsang	Burnaby	1909
Croatia			
1	Denis O. Zagmester	Zagreb	1661
Czech Republic			
1	Jakub Slavik	Praha	1961
2	Ondrej Baudys	Hlinsko	1958
3	Ivan Stanzev	Brno	1922
4	Douglas Wang	Praha	1898
5	David Korejtko	Zdar Nad Sazavou	1857
6	Hynek Skoba	Praha	1791
7	Michal Sida	Cernolice	1782
8	Milan Prochazka	Ostrava	1753
9	Petr Luca	Praha	1745
10	Roman Jarnik	Praha	1740
Denmark			
1	Svend Geertsen	Copenhagen	1881
2	Rune Spoich	Hvidovre	1868
3	Tore Fil	Odense	1854
3	Peter Lauer	Copenhagen	1854
5	Thomas Blindt Jensen	Roskilde	1820
6	Emil Delacroix	Unavailable	1779
7	Morten Sigegaard	Hjortshoj	1768
8	Clement Lessel	Copenhagen	1765
9	Jesper Thrane	Copenhagen	1763
10	Steffen Olsen	Unavailable	1754
Finland			
1	Mikko Sragg	Pori	1852
2	Tomi Nikkanen	Kauniainen	1840
3	Arto Hiltunen	Turku	1837
4	Tommi Hovi	Kaarina	1835
5	Juha Helppi	Turku	1817
6	Janne Kestinen	Jarvenpaa	1800
7	Erno Ekebom	Helsinki	1789
8	Lauri Sjoi	Helsinki	1775
9	Jonas Vala	Helsinki	1750
10	Matti Tolkkanen	Vantaa	1748
France			
1	Pierre Feyard	Bordeaux	1813
2	Nicolas Olivieri	Carpentras	1804
3	Alain Fernandez	Marseille	1794
4	Serge Dujardin	Montpellier	1787
5	Sebastien Gracia	Perpignan	1781
6	Jean-Francois Inal	Paris	1775
7	Fabrice Dussault	Montpellier	1770
8	Mathieu Paquet	Toulouse	1765
9	Claude Duarte	Eauborne	1764
10	Michael Debard	Paris	1763
Germany			
1	Oliver Krebs	Kleinostheim	1989
2	Andre Konstanczer	Seckmauern	1937
3	Peer Kroeger	Hamburg	1885
4	Kai Budde	Koln	1870
5	Stephan Valleyer	Aachen	1841
6	Marcus Heydak	Berlin	1839
7	Helge Richter	Lindenau	1837
8	David Liersch	Unavailable	1827
9	Michael Miller	Dortmund	1816
10	Stefan Kastner	Gaibach	1815
Greece			
1	Beligiannis Taelpche	Unavailable	1707
2	Dimitra Petsinis	Athens	1613
3	Boubounidis Panagiotis	Athens	1555
Guatemala			
1	Milton Morales	Guatemala	1875
Hong Kong			
1	Teddy Ng Chi Fai	Hong Kong	1833
2	Ngai Kwok Hing	Hong Kong	1763
3	Wong Chun Hung	Hong Kong	1752
4	Johnson Wan	Hong Kong	1706
5	Chang Chun Yu Jerry	Hong Kong	1693
6	Wong Shuen Zuk	Hong Kong	1692
7	Au Yeshet Hon Ming	Hong Kong	1691
8	Lun Peter	Hong Kong	1681
9	Chiu Wai Ting	Hong Kong	1643
10	Bruno Lam	Hong Kong	1635
Hungary			
1	Toszegi Szabolcs	Budapest	1809
2	Tihor Miklos	Budapest	1801
3	Gabor Nagy	Unavailable	1723
4	Ferenc Dobronay	Hatvantele	1718
5	Gabor Szerencsics	Unavailable	1686
5	Farkas David	Szeged	1689
7	David Matrahazi	Unavailable	1678
8	Rovo Viktor	God	1677
9	Jozsef Bakos	Budapest	1673
10	Szegedi Gabor	Budapest	1671
Iceland			
1	Robert A Ulfarsson	Reykjavik	1667
Indonesia			
1	Lukman Setiawan	Bandung	1808
2	Unknown 62653	Unavailable	1724
3	Naga Supara	Bandung	1714
4	Unknown 62657	Unavailable	1709
5	Unknown 62636	Unavailable	1700
6	Unknown 62505	Unavailable	1696
7	Andreas Burhen	Bandung	1694
8	Unknown 62514	Unavailable	1690
9	Yohanes H Arifin	Bandung	1683
10	Frans Indrawan	Bandung	1676
Ireland			
1	John Larkin	Dublin	1771
2	Eoin Brennan	Dublin	1746
3	Thomas McDonnell	Limerick	1734
4	David Kearney	Dublin	1726
5	David Fitzpatrick	Churchtown	1692
6	Eoin Kearney	Unavailable	1668
7	Tadhg O'Higgins	Dublin	1644
8	Ivan Hanley	Limerick	1624
8	Diarmuid Unknown	Cork	1619
10	Con Gregg	Dublin	1613
Italy			
1	Ilja Rolelli	Unavailable	1798
2	Andrea Redi	Cavegna (PV)	1777
3	Gabriele Psicchio	Roma	1755
4	Riccardo Pizzorani	Bologna	1734
5	Federico Dete	Unavailable	1732
6	Massimo Venring	Torino	1688
7	Duccio Cantini	Firenze	1680
8	Valerio Refico	Unavailable	1675
9	Dario Panzzoli	Unavailable	1668
10	Andrea Redi	Unavailable	1665
Japan			
1	Koichiro Maki	Tokyo	2017
2	Toshiki Tsukamoto	Toshima-Ku	1926
3	Fujita Kenichi	Tokyo	1918
4	Satoshi Nakamura	Shinjyuku-Ku	1903
5	Itaru Ishida	Tokyo	1896
6	Ibamoto Masami	Tokyo	1854
7	Osarobu Furukitoshi	Kanagawa	1887
8	Yoshiyuki Tsuruta	Nakano-Ku	1878
9	Fujieda Isamu	Chiba	1877
10	Kazuo Junji	Kanagawa	1857
Luxembourg			
1	Joe Paulus	Luxembourg	1614
2	Goetz Boecker	Belair	1586
Mexico			
1	Gerado Godinez	Unavailable	1737
2	Julio C Ayala Vazquez	Unavailable	1733
3	Alexander Sacal Feriman	Unavailable	1724
4	Gerardo Choi Lam	Unavailable	1716
5	Homero Caballero-Cruz	Mexico DF	1712
6	Jorge Lopez Lara	Unavailable	1702
7	Eduardo A Lopez	Unavailable	1696
8	Zeus Ramos	Unavailable	1696
9	Victor B. Basurto	Mexico	1675
9	Salomon Chacon Villuava	Unavailable	1675
Netherlands			
1	Bram Snepvangers	Utrecht	1696
2	Rouke Bosma	Wageningen	1815
3	Arjen Grodde	Groningen	1775
4	Wouter Bekkers	Amsterdam	1760
5	Frits Van Vank	Amsterdam	1754
6	Laurens Huisman	Groningen	1753
7	Wouter Wilkaar	Groningen	1744
8	Martijn Pijnenburg	Renkum	1743
9	Jochem V. Hull	Unavailable	1734
10	Kamiel Cornelissen	Unavailable	1731
New Zealand			
1	Roger Miller	Unavailable	1835
2	Clint Laws	Unavailable	1807
3	Eion Gibb	Unavailable	1786
4	Gene Bramby	Unavailable	1745
5	Raymond Dick	Unavailable	1740
5	Scott Richards	Unavailable	1740
7	Mark Redman	Unavailable	1728
8	Wayne Fox	Unavailable	1715
9	Kenneth L Stratton	Wellington	1713
10	Stuart Badger	Unavailable	1712
Norway			
1	Peter Evans	Bergen	1807
2	David Rudic Lille-ren	Oslo	1826
3	Ryu Ind Blix Madsen	Trondheim	1815
4	Sigurd Eskeland	Jar	1814
5	Kjartan Solevik	Bergen	1808
6	Sturla Bingen	Sotheimsvir Bergen	1795
7	Stein Krog	Sotheimsvoien	1788
8	Oyvind Bidegaard	Oslo	1788
9	Haakon R. Monsen	Hosle	1770
10	Jens - Ivar Seland	Trondheim	1752
Philippines			
1	Florence C. Valerio	Davao City	1785
2	Antonio Martin Del Campo	Unavailable	1740
3	Philip G Lasalita	Davao City	1717
4	Raphael S Penaloza	Davao City	1707
5	Jose R Fuentes	Davao City	1674
6	Robert G Gonzales Blanca	Manila	1658
7	Jerome Cruz	Manila	1657
8	Ian B Balipata	Davao City	1651
9	Jan Michael Adan	Davao City	1643
10	Rafael L Lirag	Quezon City	1642
10	Dexton Warnes	Davao City	1642
10	Alfonso Presbitero	Davao	1642
Portugal			
1	Alexandre Quadros	Loures	1676
2	Rui Martins Inocencio	Lisboa	1638
3	Pedro Trindade Miranda	Lisboa	1558
4	Luis Barros Figueira	Lisboa	1545
Singapore			
1	Sam Lau	Singapore	1817
2	Gabriel Kang	Singapore	1777
3	Aw Boon Shin Joshua	Singapore	1738
4	Larry Eng	Singapore	1731
5	Robin P. Hee Tee	Singapore	1718
6	Patrick Lim Jit Wang	Singapore	1712
7	Mark J. Chang	Singapore	1710
8	Anthony Ng Weng San	Singapore	1703
9	Adrian Teoh Leong Wee	Singapore	1702
10	Christopher Soon	Singapore	1697
Slovak Republic			
1	Juraj Smrek	Bratislava	1775
2	Robert Jurkovic	Unavailable	1710
3	Peter Herlingh	Bratislava	1652
4	Karol Kostic	Solcany	1651
5	Richard Von Glasner	Bratislava	1615
6	Roderik Klinda	Bratislava	1575
7	Andrej Bitzsansky	Zilina	1508
South Africa			
1	Kevin Knowles	Johannesburg	1753
2	Filip Rusnic	Johannesburg	1711
3	Daniel Rusnic	Johannesburg	1639
4	Brendan White	Johannesburg	1631
5	Chris Gibbons	Johannesburg	1619
South Korea			
1	Nam Woong	Unavailable	1714
2	Eunho Kang	Seoul	1702
3	Jacob Baughmas	Kangseo-Ku	1668
4	David Seo	Seoul	1656
5	Joey Unknown	Camp Casey	1651
6	Moonsoo Kim	Seoul	1648
7	Lee Sang U	Unavailable	1642
8	Kong Suk Jin	Unavailable	1637
9	Lee Jung Hwan	Kangseo-Ku	1624
10	Dongwoo Son	Seoul	1622
Spain			
1	David Vall Brillas	Barcelona	1796
2	Marc Ferreras Ortiz	Barcelona	1768
3	Alejandro Dominguez Ratros	Barcelona	1748
4	Carlos Barrado Lopez	Madrid	1736
5	Israel Rosales Jimenez	Sevilla	1732
6	Alex Mensal Coronado	Barcelona	1728
6	Santiago Rodriguez Santiago	Barcelona	1728
8	Rodrigo Silva Lopez	Valencia	1727
9	Fernando Escribano Cantero	Madrid	1721
10	Ernesto Valdesolivas Sanchez	Madrid	1719
10	Ivan Garcia Gonzalez	Madrid	1719
Sweden			
1	Mattias Jonsteil	Goteborg	1879
2	Marcus Angelin	Stockholm	1836
3	Bjorn P Jocumsen	Oslo	1793
4	Mike Magnusson	Tyreso	1791
5	Jonas Eisenvall	Sollentuna	1779
6	Johan Disenberg	Tyreso	1774
7	Olle Rade	Goteborg	1759
8	Fredrik Sudenberg	Gothenburg	1753
9	Martin Eriksson	Stockholm	1747
10	Peter Karlsson	Gothenburg	1746
Switzerland			
1	Alexander Blumke	Thonex	1826
2	Jurg Haberli	Bern	1743
3	Michael Suwald	Zurich	1732
4	Timur Dogan	Neuenhof	1717
5	Thomas Royer	Pauden	1711
6	Serge Gariglio	Lennart / Lausanne	1710
7	Freddy Lenoir	St. Gallen	1697
8	Sami Grossenbacher	Unavailable	1694
8	Stefan Muller	Unavailable	1694
10	Markus Krebs	Hunzenschwil	1692
Taiwan			
1	Mourning Chong	Taipei	1748
2	Arthur Chang	Unavailable	1722
3	Nissan Jung	Taichung	1711
4	Chun L. Chen	Taipei	1685
5	Henry Yen	Taipei	1664
6	L.E.H	Unavailable	1662
7	Bill Tony	Taipei	1654
8	Jian J. Shiu	Taipei	1653
9	Wan Sha	Unavailable	1651
10	Frank Shi	Taichung	164
United Kingdom			
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2	Christopher Manners	Putney London	1671
3	Nick Butterworth	Olney Bucks	1868
4	Mike Malyon	West Ewell Surrey	1854
5	Tony Dotson	London	1847
6	Rob Salmon	Luton	1846
7	David Challis	Feltcham Surrey	1839
8	Sam Waller	London	1821
8	Ben Sanders	Edinburgh	1821
10	Richard Collins	London	1812
United States			
1	Don Gallitz	Unavailable	2047
2	Michael D. Long	Centreville, VA	2011
3	David S. Dewaelsche	Fishers	2008
4	Peter Sundholm	Olympia, WA	2000
5	Brian Weissman	Goleta, CA	1995
6	John Too	Buena Park, CA	1993
7	Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	1985
8	John Hunka	Norton, OH	1978
9	Fenstring Chan	Cranbury, NJ	1973
10	Jason J. McHale	Highland Spgs	1969

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2	Ricardo Buccolo	Buenos Aires	1771
3	Diego Hernan Rivas	Buenos Aires	1759
4	Mario Mariscovich	Buenos Aires	1744
5	Kheng Ho Toh	Buenos Aires	1731
6	Francisco Millilo	Buenos Aires	1718
7	Diego Docatenzeller	Buenos Aires	1717
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	Seattle	(206) 675-1608
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